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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Form 3 Holdings Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section Reported Form 4 Transactions Reported Transactions Reported											
1. Name and ABROWN V	Person *	Symbol	RAL GARD	eker or Trading	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
(Last)	Middle)	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 09/29/2018			_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)						
	TRAL GARDEN & Y, 1340 TREAT JITE 600		0912912	.010							
			endment, Date nth/Day/Year)	Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line)						
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-Der	rivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	ially Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	1 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			

Amount (D) Price

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\$0

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2,051,231 D

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Irrevocable

Trusts (2)

Class A Common Stock									
Class A Common Stock	07/12/2018	Â	G	778	D	\$ 0	2,049,286	D	Â
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	1,574,019	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. of D So B O En Is Fi
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BROWN WILLIAM E							
C/O CENTRAL GARDEN & PET COMPANY	λv	ÂΧ	Â	Â			
1340 TREAT BLVD., SUITE 600	АЛ	ΑΛ	A	A			
WALNUT CREEK, CA 94597							

Signatures

/s/ JoAnn Jonte, as Attorney-in-Fact for William E. 11/13/2018 Brown

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

2 Reporting Owners

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) On December 20, 2017, the Reporting Person gifted an aggregate amount of 3,312 shares of Class A Common Stock of the Issuer, respectively, for the benefit of various family Irrevocable Trusts.
- These securities are owned directly by various family Irrevocable Trusts and indirectly by the Reporting Person and his spouse as co-trustees of the Irrevocable Trusts. The Reporting Person and his spouse, as co-trustees, have and share investment control over the securities held in each of the Irrevocable Trusts but disclaim beneficial ownership of the reported securities held by the Irrevocable Trusts except to the extent of his and his wife's pecuniary interest therein.

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