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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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SECURITIES Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue.

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Hollifield Matthew V			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LOWES COMPANIES INC [LOW]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Mic		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Enter all applicable)			
1000 LOWE'S	BOULEVA	ARD	(Month/Day/Year) 09/22/2017	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP Chief Accounting Officer			
(Street) MOORESVILLE, NC 28117			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
		.17	Filed(Month/Day/Year)				

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - No	on-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (Instr.		4. Securi nor Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (A) or	` '	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	09/22/2017		G	V	426	D	\$ 0	30,750	D	
Common Stock	09/22/2017		S		2,520	D	\$ 78.2923	28,230	D	
Common Stock	09/22/2017		M		5,333	A	\$ 53.13	33,563	D	
Common Stock	09/22/2017		S		5,333	D	\$ 78.2975	28,230	D	

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)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amous or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 53.13	09/22/2017		M	5,333	(2)	09/15/2024	Common Stock	5,33

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hollifield Matthew V 1000 LOWE'S BOULEVARD MOORESVILLE, NC 28117

SVP Chief Accounting Officer

Signatures

By: /s/ Sandra Felton by power of attorney For: Matthew V. Hollifield

09/26/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
 - This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$78.297 to \$78.3001. The price reported above reflects the
- (1) weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (2) The option vested in three annual installments beginning on September 15, 2015.

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