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FORM 4

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Shaffer Michael A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

(Middle)

BUILD A BEAR WORKSHOP INC [BBW]

(Check all applicable)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

C/O BUILD-A-BEAR WORKSHOP, INC., 1954

INNERBELT BUSINESS CENTER

(Street)

(First)

DRIVE

(Instr. 3)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

05/10/2018

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting

ST. LOUIS, MO 63114

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Common 05/10/2018 Stock

9,793 A (1)

 $33,017 \stackrel{(3)}{=}$ (2)

D

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address Director Officer Other Owner

Shaffer Michael A C/O BUILD-A-BEAR WORKSHOP, INC. 1954 INNERBELT BUSINESS CENTER DRIVE ST. LOUIS, MO 63114

X

Signatures

/s/ Eric Fencl, as Attorney-in-Fact for Michael A. Shaffer

05/14/2018

**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).
- (1) Grant to reporting person of 9,793 shares of restricted stock. The shares vest on June 10, 2019.
- (2) Price is not applicable to grants of restricted stock.

After giving effect to the transactions reported in this Form 4, Mr. Shaffer directly owns 23,224 shares of common stock and 9,793 shares of restricted stock of Build-A-Bear Workshop, Inc. 7,477 restricted shares vested on May 11, 2018, a day after the above reported (3) transaction. For purposes of this footnote, we have included these 7,477 shares as common stock instead of restricted, making this footnote accurate as of the date of filing.

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