Smith Peter Royer Form 4 February 26, 2019

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Smith Peter Royer			Symbol CARTERS INC [CRI]						Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3438 PEACHTREE ROAD NE, SUITE 1800			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2019						Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP Supply Chain			
				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
ATLANTA,	, GA 30326								Form filed by M Person	Iore than One Re	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Nor	ı-D	erivative (Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year) Execution any		Code (Instr. 8	8)	4. Securit r(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d of (D)	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	02/25/2019			D		1,452 (1)	D	\$ 0	22,011.33 (2)	D		
Common Stock	02/25/2019			F		878	D	\$ 100.3	21,133.33 (2)	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)

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
·r·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Smith Peter Royer 3438 PEACHTREE ROAD NE SUITE 1800 ATLANTA, GA 30326			EVP Supply Chain				

Signatures

/s/Antonio D. Robinson, 02/26/2019 Attorney-in-Fact

> **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) The transaction reported in this Form 4 reflects below-target vesting of performance shares issued in 2016.
- (2) Some of these shares are restricted shares that are subject to either time-vesting or performance-based restrictions.

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