STARBUCKS CORP

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SCHULTZ HOWARD D			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol STARBUCKS CORP [SBUX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Chech an approach)			
2401 UTAH AVENUE SOUTH, SUITE 800		OUTH,	(Month/Day/Year) 08/04/2015	_X_ Director 10% Owner Specify below) Other (specify below) chairman and ceo			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
SEATTLE, W	A 98134		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative Se	ecuriti	es Acquired	, Disposed of, or	Beneficially	Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if TransactionDisposed of (D) ny Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	08/04/2015		M	888,436	A	\$ 18.375	33,450,250	D	
Common Stock	08/04/2015		M	300,000	A	\$ 11.435	33,750,250	D	
Common Stock	08/04/2015		S	1,188,436	D	\$ 58.5537 (1)	32,561,814	D	
Common Stock							2,000,000	I	by spouse
Common Stock							2,000,000	I	by GRAT

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Common Stock	500,000	I	by GRAT
Common Stock	500,000	I	by spouse
Common Stock	590,000	I	Family Owned LLC

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

D S	Title of perivative ecurity nstr. 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo Nun Shar
S	Ion-qualified tock Option Right to Buy)	\$ 18.375	08/04/2015		M	888,436	(2)	11/20/2016	Common Stock	888
S	Ion-qualified tock Option Right to Buy)	\$ 11.435	08/04/2015		M	300,000	(3)	11/19/2017	Common Stock	300

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SCHULTZ HOWARD D						
2401 UTAH AVENUE SOUTH, SUITE 800	X		chairman and ceo			
SEATTLE, WA 98134						

Signatures

/s/ Robert L. Villase?or, attorney-in-fact for Howard Schultz 08/06/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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).
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$58.53 to \$58.61. The price reported above reflects the weighted (1) average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- The option, representing the right to buy a total of 1,088,436 shares, became exercisable in two increments of 272,110 shares each on November 20, 2007 and November 20, 2008, and two increments of 272,108 shares each on November 20, 2009 and November 20, 2010. The exercise price and number of shares subject to the option were adjusted in accordance with the terms of the stock option plan to reflect the 2-for-1 stock split that occurred on April 9, 2015.
- The option, representing the right to buy a total of 1,374,226 shares, became exercisable in an increment of 171,779 shares on November 19, 2008, and increments of 171,778 shares each on November 19, 2009, November 19, 2010 and November 19, 2011. The exercise price and number of shares subject to the option were adjusted in accordance with the terms of the stock option plan to reflect the 2-for-1 stock split that occurred on April 9, 2015.

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