WARD JACKIE M Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading WARD JACKIE M Issuer Symbol FLOWERS FOODS INC [FLO] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title 4780 GAIDREW COURT 01/02/2013 below) (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting JOHN'S CREEK, GA 30022 Person (City) (State) (Zin)

	(City)	(State) (2	Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securities on Acquired (A) or			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
	(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of (D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
			(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Code V	(Instr. 3, Amount	(A) or (D)	5) Price	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Common Stock	01/03/2013		M	6,015	A	\$0	128,977	D	
	Common Stock							15,988	I	Flowers Stock Tracking A/C (1)

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

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (\emph{e.g.}, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \\ \end{tabular}$

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of actionDerivative Securities 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Deferred Stock (2)	\$ 0 (3)	01/03/2013		M		6,015	01/03/2013	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	6,015
Deferred Stock (2)	(3)	01/02/2013		A	4,820		01/02/2015	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	4,820
Deferred Stock (2)	\$ 0 (3)						06/05/2008	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	5,152
Deferred Stock (2)	\$ 0 (3)						02/05/2009	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	7,695
Deferred Stock (2)	\$ 0 (3)						06/03/2009	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	5,370
Deferred Stock (2)	\$ 0 (3)						01/02/2010	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	8,310
Deferred Stock (2)	\$ 0 (3)						06/09/2010	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	7,095
Deferred Stock (2)	\$ 0 (3)						01/02/2011	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	6,315
Deferred Stock (2)	\$ 0 (3)						06/05/2011	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	300
Deferred Stock (2)	\$ 0 (3)						06/08/2011	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	6,030
Deferred Stock (2)	<u>(3)</u>						05/25/2013	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	345
Deferred Stock (2)	\$ 0 (3)						05/27/2012	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	5,040
Deferred Stock (2)	\$ 0 (3)						06/05/2013	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	4,780
Deferred Stock (2)	\$ 0 (3)						01/03/2014	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	6,110

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WARD JACKIE M

4780 GAIDREW COURT X

JOHN'S CREEK, GA 30022

Signatures

Person

/s/ Stephen R. Avera,
Agent

**Signature of Reporting
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).
- Under the terms of the Flowers Foods Executive Deferred Compensation Plan, reporting person elected to have a portion of plan
- (1) contributions valued as shares of the issuer's common stock, as of the closing stock price on 01/02/2009. Each unit of the Flowers Stock Tracking Account is the equivalent of one share of issuer's common stock.
- (2) Granted pursuant to the Flowers Foods, Inc. 2001 Equity and Performance Incentive Plan.
- (3) In accordance with the terms of the Deferred Shares Agreement for Directors, the deferred shares awarded do not have a conversion or exercise price.
- (4) No expiration date.

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