#### **BED BATH & BEYOND INC**

Form 4 July 09, 2014

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

**EPPLER KLAUS** 

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

per share

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

**BED BATH & BEYOND INC** 

[BBBY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 07/07/2014

X\_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O PROSKAUER ROSE LLP, ELEVEN TIMES SQUARE

> (Street) 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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

NEW YORK, NY 10036

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 1. Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(State)

Code (Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned **Following** Reported

(Instr. 3 and 4)

6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Direct Beneficial Ownership (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

SEC 1474

(9-02)

(Instr. 4) Transaction(s)

or (D) Price Code V Amount

(A)

(1)

Common Stock, \$.01 07/07/2014 par value

\$ 1.519 59.285 Α Α

13,164

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

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

EPPLER KLAUS

C/O PROSKAUER ROSE LLP

ELEVEN TIMES SOUARE

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

## **Signatures**

NEW YORK, NY 10036

/s/ Peter Samuels, Attorney-in-Fact 07/09/2014

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Da

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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fiscal year of grant, provided that the director remains in office until the last day of the fiscal year.

Represents an automatic grant of restricted stock under the Company's 2012 Incentive Compensation Plan valued at \$90,000, issued as part of annual director compensation and approved by the Board of Directors of the Company on July 7, 2014. The number of shares was (1) determined based on a stock price of \$59.285, the average of the high and low trading prices of the Company's common stock on July 7, 2014, the date of the Company's Annual Meeting of Shareholders. The restricted stock will vest on February 28, 2015, the last day of the

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