

CARROLS RESTAURANT GROUP, INC.

Form 4

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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Flanders Paul R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CARROLS RESTAURANT GROUP, INC. [TAST]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
08/13/2015

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
VP, CFO and Treasurer

C/O CARROLS RESTAURANT GROUP, INC., 968 JAMES STREET

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

SYRACUSE, NY 13203

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities 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)	3. Transaction Code		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	Price			
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	08/13/2015		S		2,500	D	\$ 12.5	239,060	D
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	08/13/2015		S		5,000	D	\$ 12.55	234,060	D
Common Stock,	08/13/2015		S		2,500	D	\$ 12.56	231,560	D

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\$0.01 par value									
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	08/13/2015		S	8,775	D	\$ 12.6	222,785	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	08/13/2015		S	2,500	D	\$ 12.63	220,285	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	08/13/2015		S	880	D	\$ 12.67	219,405	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	08/14/2015		S	5,000	D	\$ 12.75	214,405	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	08/14/2015		S	2,500	D	\$ 12.8	211,905	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	08/14/2015		S	2,500	D	\$ 12.85	209,405	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	08/14/2015		S	2,500	D	\$ 12.9	206,905	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value							2,100	I	See Footnote <u>(1)</u>

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying	8. Price of Derivative Security	9. Number of Derivative Securities
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 5)	Bene- Own- Follo- Repo- Trans- (Instr.			
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Flanders Paul R C/O CARROLS RESTAURANT GROUP, INC. 968 JAMES STREET SYRACUSE, NY 13203			VP, CFO and Treasurer	

## Signatures

/s/ Paul Flanders                      08/17/2015  
 \*\*Signature of                      Date  
 Reporting Person

## 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) These shares of Common Stock are held by the Reporting Person's children.

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