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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Shiesley Craig F

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

Amplify Snack Brands, INC [BETR]

(Check all applicable)

500 WEST 5TH STREET

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 09/19/2017

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) below) See Remarks

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

AUSTIN, TX 78701

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported

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

Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of Derivative TransactionSecurities Acquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and

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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						
	Derivative Security			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration e Date	Title
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.04	09/19/2017		D <u>(1)</u>			1,166,173	(2)	09/12/2027	Common Stock
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.06	09/19/2017		A(3)		1,166,173		<u>(2)</u>	09/12/2027	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Shiesley Craig F								
500 WEST 5TH STREET			See Remarks					

Signatures

AUSTIN, TX 78701

/s/ Bradley C. Weber, as Attorney-in-Fact to the Reporting
Person 09/21/2017

**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 Issuer purported to grant the Reporting Person an option to purchase 1,166,173 shares of its common stock on September 12, 2017. However, this grant was not effective and is null and void.
- The shares subject to the option will vest according to the following schedule: 1/3rd of the shares shall vest on September 12, 2018 and (2) 1/36th of the shares shall vest on the last day of each month thereafter, provided that the Reporting Person continues to have a service relationship with the Issuer through each such date.
- On September 19, 2017, the Compensation Committee of the Issuer's Board of Directors granted the Reporting Person a stock option award subject to the terms of the Issuer's Form of Inducement Award Non-Qualified Stock Option Agreement, which award replaces in its entirety the option award that was purported to be granted to the Reporting Person on September 12, 2017.

Remarks:

Chief Operating Officer and President, North America

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