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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 *
Garner Curtis E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CHIPOTLE MEXICAN GRILL INC
[CMG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1401 WYNKOOP STREET, SUITE 500

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/07/2018

____ Director
 Officer (give title below) Chief Digital & Info. Officer
____ 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)

DENVER, CO 80202

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

(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 (Instr. 8) | 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| Common stock | 01/07/2018 | | A ⁽¹⁾ | V Amount (D) Price 4,780 A \$ 0 <u>(1)</u> <u>(1)</u> | 4,780 ⁽¹⁾ | 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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| 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| 2018 retention SOSARs | \$ 313.79 | 01/07/2018 | | A | 18,386 | 01/07/2020 ⁽²⁾ 01/07/2025 | Common stock 18 |
| 2017 stock appreciation rights | \$ 427.61 | | | | | 02/20/2019 ⁽³⁾ 02/20/2024 | Common stock 25 |
| 2016 stock appreciation rights | \$ 417.22 | | | | | 04/27/2018 ⁽³⁾ 04/27/2023 | Common stock 25 |
| 2015 stock appreciation rights | \$ 554.86 | | | | | 12/15/2017 ⁽³⁾ 12/15/2022 | Common stock 11 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Garner Curtis E 1401 WYNKOOP STREET SUITE 500 DENVER, CO 80202 | | | Chief Digital & Info. Officer | |

Signatures

/s/ Michael McGawn, as attorney-in-fact
 01/09/2018
 **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) Represents an award of shares of restricted stock to the reporting person, which will vest in equal amounts on the second and third anniversaries of the grant date, subject to possible acceleration of vesting.
- (2) The Stock Appreciation Rights awarded to the reporting person vest in equal amounts on the second and third anniversaries of the grant date, subject to possible acceleration of vesting.
- (3) The Stock Appreciation Rights held by the reporting person vest in equal amounts on the second and third anniversaries of the grant date, subject to possible acceleration of vesting.

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