

DINKINS ANTHONY
Form 4
March 07, 2018

FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
DINKINS ANTHONY

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O FIESTA RESTAURANT
GROUP, INC., 14800 LANDMARK
BOULEVARD

(Street)

DALLAS, TX 75254

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

Fiesta Restaurant Group, Inc. [FRGI]

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

03/05/2018

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)

SVP of Human Resources

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)

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

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. 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, par value \$0.01 per share	03/05/2018		A	5,081	\$ 0 (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)

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Performance Rights	(2) (3)	03/05/2018		A	15,241	(2)(3) (2)(3)	Common Stock 15,241

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
DINKINS ANTHONY C/O FIESTA RESTAURANT GROUP, INC. 14800 LANDMARK BOULEVARD DALLAS, TX 75254	SVP of Human Resources

Signatures

/s/ Anthony
Dinkins 03/07/2018

**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) The Shares were granted to the Reporting Person pursuant to the Issuer's 2012 Stock Incentive Plan.

Each performance right represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock. The performance rights vest as follows: (i) 1/3 vests on March 6, 2019 upon the Issuer's common stock achieving a closing market price at or above \$30.00 for 20 consecutive trading days at any point during the period between March 6, 2018 and March 6, 2019, (ii) 1/3 vests on March 6, 2020 upon

(2) the Issuer's common stock achieving a closing market price at or above \$35.00 for 20 consecutive trading days at any point during the period between March 6, 2019 and March 6, 2020, (iii) 1/3 vests on March 6, 2021 upon the Issuer's common stock achieving a closing market price at or above \$40.00 for 20 consecutive trading days at any point during the period between March 6, 2020 and March 6, 2021, and (iv) the employment of the Reporting Person by the Issuer on the applicable vesting date.

(Continued from footnote 2) If the Issuer common stock target price above for any performance period is not met, any unvested shares of

(3) the Issuer's common stock will be rolled over to the subsequent performance period on a pro rata basis and subject to the Issuer common stock target price for such subsequent performance period.

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