

NOODLES & Co  
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# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
PUBLIC SECTOR PENSION  
INVESTMENT BOARD

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1250 RENE-LEVESQUE BLVD  
WEST, SUITE 1400

(Street)

MONTREAL, A8 H3B 65E9

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
NOODLES & Co [NDLS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
05/11/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)

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

\_\_\_ 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. 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)           |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Class A Common Stock            | 05/11/2017                           |  | J <sup>(1)</sup>               | 9,615<br><sup>(2)</sup>   | A <sup>(3)</sup> 6,754,375  | I  | See Footnotes <sup>(4)</sup> <sup>(5)</sup> |

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 6) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|---|
|  |  |                                      |  | 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

PUBLIC SECTOR PENSION INVESTMENT BOARD  
 1250 RENE-LEVESQUE BLVD WEST  
 SUITE 1400  
 MONTREAL, A8 H3B 65E9

Argentia Private Investments Inc.  
 1250 RENE LEVESQUE BOULEVARD WEST  
 SUITE 1400  
 MONTREAL, A8 H3B 65E9

Dufresne Francois  
 C/O NOODLES & COMPANY  
 520 ZANG STREET, SUITE D  
 BROOMFIELD, CO 80021

## Signatures

/s/ Michael Hassan, Vice-President and Divisional General Counsel

05/15/2017

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Selin Bastin, Vice-President and Divisional General Counsel

05/15/2017

\_\_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).

This grant to Francois Dufresne is exempt from Section 16(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), (1) pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d) of the Exchange Act, as the Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") were granted pursuant to a plan approved by the board of directors of Noodles & Company (the "Company").

(2)

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Mr. Dufresne is legally obligated to direct the shares to Argentia Private Investments Inc. Mr. Dufresne has no direct pecuniary interest in the shares. Each RSU represents the right to receive one share of the Company's Class A common stock, and the RSUs settled in shares of the Company's Class A common stock on the date of the grant.

- (3) Not applicable.
- (4) Shares are owned directly by Argentia Private Investments Inc., which is a wholly owned subsidiary of Public Sector Pension Investment Board ("PSPIB"). PSPIB is an indirect beneficial owner of the reported securities.
- (5) Each Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.

### **Remarks:**

Exhibit 99.1 - Joint Filer Information, filed herewith and incorporated by reference herein.

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