NIBLOCK ROBERT A

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

Stock

Stock

Common

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NIBLOCK ROBERT A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LOWES COMPANIES INC [LOW]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
1000 LOWE'S BOULEVARD			(Month/Day/Year) 04/02/2018	X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman President & CEO		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Chec		
MOORESVILLE, NC 28117			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ 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 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Beneficial Code (D) Beneficially (D) or (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 28,710 04/02/2018 A A \$0 525,371.6 D Stock (1) Common by 401(k) 25,482.55 (2) Ι Stock Plan Common Ι 103,920 by GRAT Stock Common

93,882.798

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24,659

by Spouse

by Trust

Common Stock

24,659

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by Trust II

(9-02)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	Secur
				Code V	(A) (D	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nui Sha
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 84.59	04/02/2018		A	118,990	(3)	04/02/2028	Common Stock	11

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

NIBLOCK ROBERT A 1000 LOWE'S BOULEVARD MOORESVILLE, NC 28117

X

Chairman President & CEO

Date

Signatures

By: /s/ Sandra Felton by power of attorney for: Robert A.

Niblock 04/04/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

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- 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) Restricted stock granted pursuant to 2006 Long-Term Incentive Plan. The shares will fully vest on April 2, 2021.
- (2) The information provided for the shares held by the 401(k) Plan in this report is based on a plan statement dated as of March 30, 2018.
- (3) The option vests in three annual installments beginning on April 2, 2019.

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