Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGE	S IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP
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1	1 0	son*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>MIDDLEBY CORP</u> [MIDD]		tionship of Reporting Per all applicable) Director	rson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner
		(Middle) RATION	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2021		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)
(Street)	THE MIDDLEBY CORPORATION) TOASTMASTER DRIVE (t) HIN IL 60120		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 03/03/2021	Line)	ridual or Joint/Group Filin	
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(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)	if any '	3. Transa Code (8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(11150. 4)
Common Stock	03/02/2021		A		804(1)(3)	A	(1)	8,580 ⁽²⁾	D	

	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. Transa Code (8)		5. Number of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. These shares represent time-based restricted stock units. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock on the applicable vesting date. These restricted stock units will vest in full on March 2, 2022. Vested shares will be issued to the reporting person after the applicable vesting date.

2. Consists of (i) 7,776 shares of Common Stock; and (ii) the 804 restricted stock units that are reported on this Form 4.

3. This form corrects the Form 4 previously filed for this transaction to correct the description of the restricted stock units.

Michael D. Thompson POA 03/

** Signature of Reporting Person D

03/03/2021

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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