

NATHANS FAMOUS INC
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FORM 4

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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 *
PETROCELLI ATTILIO

(Last) (First) (Middle)

9 PARK PLACE

(Street)

GREAT NECK, NY 11021

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

NATHANS FAMOUS INC [NATH]

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

04/01/2015

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)

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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)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock					104,222	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2015		G		20,000	D	\$ 0
					16,000	I (1)	By Entity

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)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
2010 Stock Incentive Plan (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.75	04/02/2015		D ⁽²⁾	2,500	⁽²⁾ 06/05/2016	Common Stock	2,500
2010 Stock Incentive Plan (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.72	04/02/2015		A ⁽²⁾	3,787	⁽²⁾ 06/05/2016	Common Stock	3,787
2010 Stock Incentive Plan (Right to Buy)	\$ 53.89	04/02/2015		D ⁽³⁾	10,000	⁽³⁾ 08/05/2019	Common Stock	10,000
2010 Stock Incentive Plan (Right to Buy)	\$ 35.576	04/02/2015		A ⁽³⁾	15,149	⁽³⁾ 08/05/2019	Common Stock	15,149

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PETROCELLI ATTILIO 9 PARK PLACE GREAT NECK, NY 11021	X			

Signatures

/s/ Attilio
Petrocelli

04/03/2015

**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) These shares are owned directly by an entity of which Mr. Petrocelli is the principal stockholder and principal executive officer.

In connection with the recent special cash dividend of the Issuer, the Issuer's Compensation Committee approved the exchange of options to purchase 2,500 shares at an exercise price of \$17.75 for options to purchase 3,787 shares at an exercise price of \$11.72. Pursuant to

(2) Article IV(e) of the Issuer's 2010 Stock Incentive Plan, the Compensation Committee has the authority to make appropriate provisions upon the Issuer's declaration of a special cash dividend. The original options vested 25% each on the first through fourth anniversaries of June 6, 2011, the grant date, and the new options will have the same vesting terms and expiration date as the original grant.

In connection with the recent special cash dividend of the Issuer, the Issuer's Compensation Committee approved the exchange of options to purchase 10,000 shares at an exercise price of \$53.89 for options to purchase 15,149 shares at an exercise price of \$35.576. Pursuant to

(3) Article IV(e) of the Issuer's 2010 Stock Incentive Plan, the Compensation Committee has the authority to make appropriate provisions upon the Issuer's declaration of a special cash dividend. The original options were granted on August 6, 2014, and the new options will have the same vesting terms and expiration date as the original grant.

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