WOOD C MARTIN III

Form 5

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Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WOOD C MARTIN III			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FLOWERS FOODS INC [FLO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended	(Check all applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
			12/30/2017	Officer (give title Other (specify		
125-C NORTH BROAD				below) below)		
STREET, SU	JITE 313					
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	(check applicable line)		

THOMASVILLE, GAÂ 31792

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(City)	(State)	(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)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi (A) or D (Instr. 3,	4 and (A) or	ed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	12/18/2017	Â	G	1,300	D	\$ 19.79	1,216,774	D	Â	
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	486.67	I	By 401(k)	
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	6,527,872	I	By Spouse	
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	116,865	I	By Trust	

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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 Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and a Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Stock (4)	\$ 0 (5)	Â	Â	Â	Â	05/24/2018	(6)	Common Stock	7,020	Ì

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
WOOD C MARTIN III 125-C NORTH BROAD STREET SUITE 313 THOMASVILLE, GA 31792	ÂX	Â	Â	Â			

Signatures

/s/ Stephen R. Avera,
Agent

**Signature of Reporting
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).
- Total includes exempt acquisitions of shares allocated to reporting person under Issuer's 401(k) Plan, based on a plan statement dated as of 12/31/2016.
- (2) Beneficial ownership is disclaimed.
- (3) By trust for reporting person's sister and nephew.
- (4) Granted under the Flowers Foods, Inc. 2014 Omnibus Equity and Incentive Compensation Plan.

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In accordance with the terms of the Deferred Shares Agreement for Directors, the deferred shares awarded do not have a conversion or exercise price.

(6) No expiration date.

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