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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

(Rule 13d-101)

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT

TO § 240.13d-1(a) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO

§ 240.13d-2(a)

(Amendment No.)1

Farmer Bros. Co.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$1.00 par value per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

307675108

(CUSIP Number)

John A. Levin

Levin Capital Strategies, L.P.

595 Madison Avenue, 17th Floor

New York, NY 10022

(212) 259-0800

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person

Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

May 16, 2018

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of This Statement)

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1	NAME OF R PERSON	EPORTING
2	Levin Cap CHECK THE APPROPRIA BOX IF A M OF A GROU	TE EMBER ^(a)
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6	CITIZENSHI ORGANIZA	IP OR PLACE OF ГІОN
	Delaware	
NUMBER OF	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES BENEFICIALLY	7	0
OWNED BY	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
EACH REPORTING		1,063,732
PERSON WITH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
	10	0 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

1,430,020

AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

1,430,020 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

PERCENT OF CLASS
REPRESENTED BY
AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

8.4%

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	Delaware	
NUMBER OF	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES BENEFICIALLY	7	0
OWNED BY	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
EACH REPORTING		1,063,732
PERSON WITH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

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NAME OF REPORTING

SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

9,000

AGGREGATE AMOUNT
BENEFICIALLY OWNED
BY EACH REPORTING
PERSON

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CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

PERCENT OF CLASS
REPRESENTED BY
AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

Less than 1%
TYPE OF REPORTING
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1	NAME OF PERSON	REPORTING
2	LCS, LI CHECK T APPROPR BOX IF A OF A GRO	HE LIATE MEMBER ^(a)
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BENEFICIALLY	7	0
OWNED BY	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
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REPORTING		0
PERSON WITH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
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11	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
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1	NAME OF R PERSON	EPORTING
2	Levcap Al L.P. CHECK THE APPROPRIA BOX IF A M OF A GROU	TE EMBER ^(a)
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		SHARED
OWNED BY	8	VOTING
EACH		POWER
REPORTING		10,101
		SOLE
PERSON WITH	9	DISPOSITIVE POWER
		0
	10	SHARED DISPOSITIVE

11	10,101 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
12	10,101 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
13	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
14	Less than 1% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON
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1	NAME OF R PERSON	EPORTING
2	LCS Even CHECK THE APPROPRIA BOX IF A M OF A GROU	TE EMBER ^(a)
3	SEC USE ON	NLY
4	SOURCE OF	FUNDS
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	Delaware	ZATION
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SHARES BENEFICIALLY	7	0
OWNED BY	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
EACH REPORTING		10,101
PERSON WITH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
	10	0 SHARED DISPOSITIVE

POWER

11	10,101 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
12	10,101 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
13	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
14	Less than 1% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON
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1	NAME OF R PERSON	EPORTING
2	Safinia Par CHECK THE APPROPRIA BOX IF A M OF A GROU	ATE EMBER ^(a)
3	SEC USE ON	NLY
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5	WC CHECK BOY DISCLOSUF LEGAL PROCEEDIN REQUIRED PURSUANT ITEM 2(d) O CITIZENSHI OF ORGANI	RE OF NGS IS TO R 2(e) IP OR PLACE
	Delaware	ZATION
NUMBER OF	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES BENEFICIALLY	-	0
OWNED BY	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
EACH REPORTING		4,502
PERSON WITH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
	10	0 SHARED DISPOSITIVE

POWER

11	4,502 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED
11	BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
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12	AMOUNT IN ROW
12	(11) EXCLUDES
	CERTAIN SHARES
	PERCENT OF CLASS
13	REPRESENTED BY
	AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON		
2	LCS L/S, I CHECK THE APPROPRIA BOX IF A M OF A GROU	E ATE EMBER ^(a)	
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	Delaware		
NUMBER OF	7	SOLE VOTING POWER	
SHARES BENEFICIALLY	7	0	
OWNED BY	8	SHARED VOTING POWER	
EACH REPORTING		4,502	
PERSON WITH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	
	10	0 SHARED DISPOSITIVE	

POWER

11	4,502 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
12	4,502 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
13	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
14	Less than 1% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON
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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON		
2	John A. CHECK T APPROPE BOX IF A OF A GRO	HE RIATE MEMBER ^(a)	
3	SEC USE	ONLY	
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6	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION		
	United States of America		
		SOLE VOTING	
NUMBER OF	7	POWER	
SHARES			
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PERSON WITH	9	DISPOSITIVE POWER	
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		SHARED	
	10	DISPOSITIVE	

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1,430,020

	AGGREGATE AMOUNT
11	BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY
	EACH REPORTING PERSON

1,430,020

CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW

(11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

PERCENT OF CLASS
REPRESENTED BY
AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

8.4%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

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The following constitutes the Schedule 13D filed by the undersigned (the "Schedule 13D").

ITEM 1.

SECURITY AND ISSUER.

This statement relates to the common stock, par value \$1.00 per share (the "Shares"), of Farmer Bros. Co., a Delaware corporation (the "Issuer"). The address of the principal executive offices of the Issuer is 1912 Farmer Brothers Drive, Northlake, Texas 76262.

ITEM 2.

IDENTITY AND BACKGROUND.

- (a) This statement is filed by:
 - Levin Capital Strategies, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("LCS"), (i) (ii) Levin Capital Strategies GP, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("LCS GP"), Bi-Directional Disequilibrium Master Fund, LTD., a Cayman Islands exempted company ("BiDD"), (iii) LCS, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("LCSL"), (iv) Levcap Alternative Fund, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("Levcap"), (v) LCS Event Partners, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("LCSEP"), (vi) Safinia Partners, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("Safinia"), (vii) LCS L/S, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("LCSLS"), and (viii) John A. Levin, a U.S. citizen ("Mr. Levin"). (ix)

Each of the foregoing is referred to as a "Reporting Person" and collectively as the "Reporting Persons." Each of the Reporting Persons is party to that certain Joint Filing Agreement, as further described in Item 6. Accordingly, the Reporting Persons are hereby filing a joint Schedule 13D.

Set forth on Appendix A annexed hereto ("Appendix A") is the name and present principal business, occupation or employment and the name, principal business and address of any corporation or other organization in which such employment is conducted of the directors of BiDD. BiDD does not have any executive officers.

- (b) The address of the principal executive office of each of the Reporting Persons is 595 Madison Avenue, 17th Floor, New York, New York 10022.
- (c) The principal business of LCS is acting as the investment advisor to BiDD, Levcap, Safinia and certain managed accounts and as a sub-investment advisor to certain other investment companies, as further described in Item 5. The principal business of LCS GP is acting as the general partner of LCS. The principal business of BiDD, Levcap and Safinia is investing in securities. The principal business of LCSEP is acting as the general partner to Levcap. The principal business of LCSLS is acting as the general partner to Safinia. The principal business of Mr. Levin is acting as the Chief Executive Officer of LCS and the managing member of each of LCSL, LCSEP and LCSLS.

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- (d) During the last five years, no Reporting Person, nor any person listed on Appendix A, has been convicted in a criminal proceeding (excluding traffic violations or similar misdemeanors).
- (e) During the last five years, no Reporting Person, nor any person listed on Appendix A, has been a party to a civil proceeding of a judicial or administrative body of competent jurisdiction that resulted in such Reporting Person being subject to a judgment, decree or final order enjoining future violations of, or prohibiting or mandating activities subject to, federal or state securities laws or finding any violation with respect to such laws.
- (f) Except as set forth on Appendix A, Levin and each person listed on Appendix A is a citizen of the United States of America.

ITEM 3. SOURCE AND AMOUNT OF FUNDS OR OTHER CONSIDERATION.

The Shares purchased by LCS were purchased with general investment funds in open market purchases, except as otherwise noted. The aggregate purchase price of the 1,430,020 Shares owned directly by LCS is approximately \$35,959,131, including brokerage commissions.

The Shares purchased by BiDD were purchased with general investment funds in open market purchases, except as otherwise noted. The aggregate purchase price of the 9,000 Shares owned directly by BiDD is approximately \$255,640, including brokerage commissions.

The Shares purchased by Levcap were purchased with general investment funds in open market purchases, except as otherwise noted. The aggregate purchase price of the 10,101 Shares owned directly by Levcap is approximately \$245,252, including brokerage commissions.

The Shares purchased by Safinia were purchased with general investment funds in open market purchases, except as otherwise noted. The aggregate purchase price of the 4,502 Shares owned directly by Safinia is approximately \$124,911, including brokerage commissions.

To the best of the Reporting Persons' knowledge, none of the persons listed on Appendix A beneficially owns any securities of the Issuer.

ITEM 4. <u>PURPOSE OF TRANSACTION</u>.

The Reporting Persons purchased the Shares based on the Reporting Persons' belief that the Shares, when purchased, were undervalued and represented an attractive investment opportunity. Depending upon overall market conditions, other investment opportunities available to the Reporting Persons, and the availability of Shares at prices that would make the purchase or sale of Shares desirable, the Reporting Persons may endeavor to increase or decrease their position in the Issuer through, among other things, the purchase or sale of Shares on the open market or in private transactions or otherwise, on such terms and at such times as the Reporting Persons may deem advisable.

No Reporting Person has any present plan or proposal which would relate to or result in any of the matters set forth in subparagraphs (a) - (j) of Item 4 of Schedule 13D except as set forth herein or such as would occur upon or in connection with completion of, or following, any of the actions discussed herein. The Reporting Persons intend to review their investment in the Issuer on a continuing basis. Depending on various factors including, without limitation, the Issuer's financial position and investment strategy, the price levels of the Shares, conditions in the securities markets and general economic and industry conditions, the Reporting Persons may in the future take such actions with respect to their investment in the Issuer as they deem appropriate including, without limitation, engaging in communications with management and the Board of the Issuer, engaging in discussions with stockholders of the Issuer and others about the Issuer and the Reporting Persons' investment, making proposals to the Issuer concerning changes to the capitalization, ownership structure, board structure (including board composition) or operations of the

Issuer, purchasing additional Shares, selling some or all of their Shares, engaging in short selling of or any hedging or similar transaction with respect to the Shares, or changing their intention with respect to any and all matters referred to in Item 4.

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ITEM 5. INTEREST IN SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER.

The aggregate percentage of Shares reported owned by each person named herein is based upon 16,927,988 Shares outstanding as of May 8, 2018, which is the total number of Shares outstanding as reported in the Issuer's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on May 9, 2018.

A. LCS

(a) As of the close of business on May 23, 2018, LCS beneficially owned 1,430,020 Shares.

Percentage: Approximately 8.4%.

- 1. Sole power to vote or direct vote: 0
- (b) 2. Shared power to vote or direct vote: 1,063,732* 3. Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: 0
 - 4. Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 1,430,020*

(c) The transactions in the Shares by LCS during the past 60 days are set forth in Schedule A and are incorporated herein by reference.

B. LCS GP

(a) As the General Partner of LCS, LCS GP is deemed to beneficially own the 1,430,020 Shares beneficially owned by LCS.

Percentage: Approximately 8.4%.

- 1. Sole power to vote or direct vote: 0
- 2. Shared power to vote or direct vote: 1,063,732*
- 3. Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: 0
- 4. Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 1,430,020*

(b)

(c) LCS GP has not undertaken any transactions in the Shares during the past 60 days. The transactions in the Shares by LCS during the past 60 days are set forth in Schedule A and are incorporated herein by reference.

^{*} See Item 5(d) for further discussion.

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C. BiDD

(a) As of the close of business on May 23, 2018, BiDD beneficially owned 9,000 Shares.

Percentage: Less than 1.0%.

- 1. Sole power to vote or direct vote: 0
- (b) 2. Shared power to vote or direct vote: 9,000*
 - 3. Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: 0
 - 4. Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 9,000*

(c) The transactions in the Shares by BiDD during the past 60 days are set forth in Schedule A and are incorporated herein by reference.

D. LCSL

(a) As of the close of business on May 23, 2018, LCSL does not beneficially own any shares.

Percentage: 0%.

- 1. Sole power to vote or direct vote: 0
- (b) 2. Shared power to vote or direct vote: 0
 - 3. Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: 0
 - 4. Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 0
- (c) LCSL has not undertaken any transactions in the Shares during the past 60 days.

E. Levcap

(a) As of the close of business on May 23, 2018, Levcap beneficially owned 10,101 Shares.

Percentage: Less than 1.0%.

- 1. Sole power to vote or direct vote: 0
- 2. Shared power to vote or direct vote: 10,101*
- (b) 3. Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: 0
 - 4. Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 10,101*

^{*} As the general partner to BiDD, LCSL has shared voting and dispositive power over these Shares. As the investment advisor to BiDD, LCS has shared voting and dispositive power over these Shares.

^{*} As the general partner to Levcap, LCSEP has shared voting and dispositive power over these Shares. As the investment advisor to Levcap, LCS has shared voting and dispositive power over these Shares.

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(c) The transactions in the Shares by Levcap during the past 60 days are set forth in Schedule A and are incorporated herein by reference.

F. LCSEP

(a) As the General Partner of Levcap, LCSEP is deemed to beneficially own the 10,101 Shares beneficially owned by Levcap.

Percentage: Less than 1.0%.

- 1. Sole power to vote or direct vote: 0
- (b) 2. Shared power to vote or direct vote: 10,101* 3. Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: 0
 - 4. Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 10,101*
- * As the general partner to Levcap, LCSEP has shared voting and dispositive power over these Shares. As the investment advisor to Levcap, LCS has shared voting and dispositive power over these Shares.
- (c) LCSEP has not undertaken any transactions in the Shares during the past 60 days. The transactions in the Shares by Levcap during the past 60 days are set forth in Schedule A and are incorporated herein by reference.

G. Safinia

(a) As of the close of business on May 23, 2018, Safinia beneficially owned 4,502 Shares.

Percentage: Less than 1.0%.

- 1. Sole power to vote or direct vote: 0
- 2. Shared power to vote or direct vote: 4,502*
- (b) 2. Shared power to vote of direct vote. 4,502
 3. Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: 0
 - 4. Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 4,502*
- * As the general partner to Safinia, LCSLS has shared voting and dispositive power over these Shares. As the investment advisor to Safinia, LCS has shared voting and dispositive power over these Shares.
- (c) The transactions in the Shares by Safinia during the past 60 days are set forth in Schedule A and are incorporated herein by reference.

H. LCSLS

(a) As the General Partner of Safinia, LCSLS is deemed to beneficially own the 4,502 Shares beneficially owned by Safinia.

Percentage: Less than 1.0%.

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(b)

- 1. Sole power to vote or direct vote: 0
- 2. Shared power to vote or direct vote: 4,502*
- 3. Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: 0
- 4. Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 4,502*
- * As the general partner to Safinia, LCSLS has shared voting and dispositive power over these Shares. As the investment advisor to Safinia, LCS has shared voting and dispositive power over these Shares.
- (c) LCSLS has not undertaken any transactions in the Shares during the past 60 days. The transactions in the Shares by Safinia during the past 60 days are set forth in Schedule A and are incorporated herein by reference.

I. John Levin

(a) As the Chief Executive Officer of LCS and the Managing Member of each of LCSL, LCSEP and LCSLS, Mr. Levin is deemed to beneficially own 1,430,020 Shares beneficially owned by LCS.

Percentage: Approximately 8.4%.

- 1. Sole power to vote or direct vote: 0
- (b) 2. Shared power to vote or direct vote: 1,063,732*
 - 3. Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: 0
 - 4. Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 1,430,020*

(c) Mr. Levin has not undertaken any transactions in the Shares during the past 60 days. The transactions in the Shares by LCS during the past 60 days are set forth in Schedule A and are incorporated herein by reference.

The filing of this Schedule 13D shall not be construed as an admission that the Reporting Persons are, for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the beneficial owners of any of the securities reported herein. Each of the Reporting Persons specifically disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein that are not directly owned by such Reporting Person, except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein.

To the best of the Reporting Persons' knowledge, none of the persons listed on Appendix A beneficially owns any securities of the Issuer.

- (d) Various separately managed accounts for whom LCS acts as investment manager have the right to receive dividends from, and the proceeds from the sale of 1,406,417 Shares. Dispositive power over such Shares is shared. Voting power over such Shares is deemed shared between such managed accounts and LCS with respect to 1,040,129 Shares.
- (e) Not applicable

^{*} See Item 5(d) for further discussion.

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ITEM <u>CONTRACTS</u>, <u>ARRANGEMENTS</u>, <u>UNDERSTANDINGS OR RELATIONSHIPS WITH RESPECT TO</u> 6. <u>SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER</u>.

On May 25, 2018, the Reporting Persons entered into a Joint Filing Agreement in which the Reporting Persons agreed to the joint filing on behalf of each of them of statements on Schedule 13D with respect to the securities of the Issuer to the extent required by applicable law. The Joint Filing Agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

To the best of the Reporting Persons' knowledge, except as otherwise set forth herein, none of the persons listed on Appendix A is a party to any contract, agreement or understanding required to be disclosed herein.

Other than as described herein, there are no contracts, arrangements, understandings or relationships among the Reporting Persons, or between the Reporting Persons and any other person, with respect to the securities of the Issuer.

ITEM 7. <u>MATERIAL TO BE FILED AS EXHIBITS</u>.

99.1 Joint Filing Agreement

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SIGNATURES

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: May 25, 2018

Levin Capital Strategies, L.P.

By:/s/ John A. Levin Name: John A. Levin

Title: Chief Executive Officer

Levin Capital Strategies GP, LLC

John A. Levin 2005 By: GRAT Separation Trust, as Managing Member

By:/s/ Elisabeth Levin Name: Elisabeth Levin

Title: Trustee

Bi-Directional Disequilibrium Master Fund, LTD.

By: Levin Capital Strategies, L.P., its investment manager

By:/s/ John A. Levin Name: John A. Levin Title: Managing Member

LCS, LLC

By:/s/ John A. Levin Name:John A. Levin Title: Managing Member

Levcap Alternative Fund, L.P

By: LCS Event Partners, LLC, its General Partner

By:/s/ John A. Levin Name: John A. Levin Title: Managing Member

LCS Event Partners, LLC

By:/s/ John A. Levin Name:John A. Levin Title: Managing Member

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Safinia Partners, L.P.

By: LCS L/S, LLC, its General Partner

By:/s/ John A. Levin Name: John A. Levin Title: Managing Member

LCS L/S, LLC

By:/s/ John A. Levin Name:John A. Levin Title: Managing Member

/s/ John A. Levin John A. Levin

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Appendix A

Director

Directors of BiDD Master Fund, LTD.

Name and Position Present Principal Occupation Business Address

595 Madison Avenue, 17th

John Mackin, Director Levin Capital Strategies, L.P. Floor

New York, NY 10022 Regatta Office Park,

Lisa Volekaert, Windward 1

Director at 19 Degrees North Fund Services, Ltd.

Suite 110, PO Box 31527

Grand Cayman, KY1-1207

Cayman Islands Regatta Office Park,

Scott P. Lennon, Principal and Managing Director at 19 Degrees North Fund

Windward 1

Director Services, Ltd.

Suite 110, PO Box 31527

Grand Cayman, KY1-1207

Cayman Islands

Exceptions to Item 2(f) of the Schedule 13D

Lisa Volekaert and Scott P. Lennon are citizens of Canada.

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Schedule A

Transactions in the Shares During the Past Sixty Days

Date Buy	or Sell Quantity	Price Per Share (before commission)	Reporting Person
5/18/2018 Buy	3,100	26.8298	Levin Capital Strategies, L.P.
5/16/2018 Buy	1,248,365	524.2500	Levin Capital Strategies, L.P.
5/16/2018 Buy	5,000	24.2500	BiDD Master Fund, LTD.
5/16/2018 Buy	10,101	24.2500	Levcap Alternative Fund, L.P.
5/16/2018 Buy	2,269	24.2500	Safinia Partners, L.P.