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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Nichols Jill A.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Vera Bradley, Inc. [VRA]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
2208 PRODUCTION ROAD			(Month/Day/Year) 03/29/2012					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) EVP-Philanthropy&Community Rel			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person					
FORT WAY	YNE, IN 46808							Form filed by N	More than One Re	porting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	any		med n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A)	ed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Indirect (I) Owner		
Common Shares	03/29/2012			Code V	Amount 1,329	or (D) A	Price (1)	(Instr. 3 and 4) 1,392,326	D		
Common Shares	03/29/2012			F	410	D	\$ 29.42	1,391,916	D		

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Code	5. Number conf Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	03/29/2012	M	1,329	<u>(1)</u>	(1)	Common Shares	1,329	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Nichols Jill A. 2208 PRODUCTION ROAD FORT WAYNE, IN 46808

EVP-Philanthropy&Community

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Signatures

/s/ Anastacia S. Knapper, attorney-in-fact for Jill A. Nichols

04/02/2012 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) The restricted stock units were granted under the Vera Bradley, Inc. 2010 Equity and Incentive Plan. The restricted stock units vest ratably and settle in common shares on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant which was March 29, 2011.
- (2) Converts into common shares on a one-for-one basis.

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