Differential Brands Group Inc.

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Hoffman Kelly

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

Differential Brands Group Inc.

(Check all applicable)

[DFBG]

01/13/2017

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

X\_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O DIFFERENTIAL BRANDS GROUP INC., 1231 S. GERHART AVE.

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

COMMERCE, CA 90022

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s)

(A) Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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)

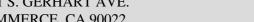
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	Œ	01/13/2017		A	20,000	12/31/2017	12/31/2017	Common Stock, par value \$0.10 per share	20,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address 10% Owner Officer Other Director

Hoffman Kelly C/O DIFFERENTIAL BRANDS GROUP INC. 1231 S. GERHART AVE. COMMERCE, CA 90022



# **Signatures**

/s/ Kelly 01/18/2017 Hoffman

\*\*Signature of Date 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).

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Each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of the common stock, par value \$0.10 per share, of Differential Brands Group Inc. These RSUs were granted pursuant to the Differential Brands Group Inc. 2016 Stock Incentive Plan.

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