CHIPOTLE MEXICAN GRILL INC

Form 4 May 11, 2016

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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See Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Moran Montgomery F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Co-Chief Executive Officer

Issuer

CHIPOTLE MEXICAN GRILL INC

[CMG]

05/10/2016

3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

1401 WYNKOOP STREET, SUITE 500

(Street)

(First)

Stock

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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

DENVER, CO 80202

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4)

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

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common

(Middle)

154,755 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)

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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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ar or Nu of
2013 Performance SOSARs	\$ 318.45	05/10/2016		A <u>(1)</u>	37,500	05/10/2016	02/07/2020	Common Stock	3'
2014 Performance SOSARs	\$ 543.2	05/10/2016		A(2)	43,750	05/10/2016	02/03/2021	Common Stock	43
2012 Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 371.63					02/06/2014	02/06/2019	Common Stock	30
2012 Performance SOSARs	\$ 371.63					02/06/2014	02/06/2019	Common Stock	70
2013 Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 318.45					02/07/2015(3)	02/07/2020	Common Stock	7:
2014 Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 543.2					02/03/2016(4)	02/03/2021	Common Stock	8′

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
FB	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Moran Montgomery F 1401 WYNKOOP STREET, SUITE 500 DENVER, CO 80202	X		Co-Chief Executive Officer			
Signatures						
Michael M. McGawn, as attorney-in-fact	05/11/2016					
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date					

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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).

This report is filed in connection with the satisfaction of performance conditions on performance-vesting stock-only stock appreciation rights, or Performance SOSARs, originally granted to the reporting person on February 7, 2013. Vesting of the second tranche of 37,500

- (1) Performance SOSARs was contingent on Chipotle's achievement of stated levels of cumulative cash flow from operations prior to the fifth fiscal year-end following the award date, with vesting to occur no sooner than February 7, 2016, subject to possible acceleration. The Compensation Committee of Chipotle's Board of Directors certified the achievement of the performance target on May 10, 2016, resulting in the second tranche of 2013 Performance SOSARs vesting in full.
 - This report is filed in connection with the satisfaction of performance conditions on Performance SOSARs originally granted to the reporting person on February 3, 2014. Vesting of the 2014 Performance SOSARs is contingent on Chipotle's achievement of stated levels of cumulative cash flow from operations prior to the fourth and fifth fiscal year-ends following the award date, with vesting to occur no
- of cumulative cash flow from operations prior to the fourth and fifth fiscal year-ends following the award date, with vesting to occur no sooner than February 3, 2016 and 2017 (with half of each 2014 Performance SOSAR subject to each such time-based vesting date), subject to possible acceleration. The Compensation Committee of Chipotle's Board of Directors certified the achievement of the first performance target on May 10, 2016, resulting in the first tranche of 43,750 2014 Performance SOSARs vesting in full.
- (3) These 2013 Stock Appreciation Rights, which were subject to time-based vesting only, vested in full on February 7, 2016.
- One half of the 2014 Stock Appreciation Rights vested on February 3, 2016 and the remaining half are scheduled to vest on February 3, 2017, subject to possible acceleration of vesting.

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