Scherping Katherine Lee Form 4 March 04, 2011

# FORM 4

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

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1(b).

(Last)

**GREENWOOD** 

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Scherping Katherine Lee

(First) (Middle)

6312 S. FIDDLER'S GREEN CIRCLE, SUITE 200N

(Street)

VILLAGE, CO 80111 (City) (State) (Zip) 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

RED ROBIN GOURMET **BURGERS INC [RRGB]** 

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

**OMB APPROVAL** 

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title below)

Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

| 1.Title of      | 2. Transaction Date | 2A. Deemed         | 3.                  | 4. Securities A  | cquired     | 5. Amount of     | 6. Ownership | 7. Nature of |
|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------|-------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Security        | (Month/Day/Year)    | Execution Date, if | Transactio          | on(A) or Dispose | ed of (D)   | Securities       | Form: Direct | Indirect     |
| (Instr. 3)      |                     | any                | Code                | (Instr. 3, 4 and | 15)         | Beneficially     | (D) or       | Beneficial   |
|                 |                     | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8)          |                  |             | Owned            | Indirect (I) | Ownership    |
|                 |                     |                    |                     |                  |             | Following        | (Instr. 4)   | (Instr. 4)   |
|                 |                     |                    |                     | (4)              |             | Reported         |              |              |
|                 |                     |                    |                     | (A)              |             | Transaction(s)   |              |              |
|                 |                     |                    | $\alpha$ 1 $\alpha$ | or               | ъ.          | (Instr. 3 and 4) |              |              |
| _               |                     |                    | Code V              | Amount (D)       | Price       |                  |              |              |
| Common<br>Stock | 03/02/2011          |                    | F                   | 238 (1) D        | \$<br>23.44 | 17,072 (2)       | 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 | 2.          | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed         | 4.         | 5.         | 6. Date Exerc       | cisable and     | 7. Titl  | e and    | 8. Price of | 9. Nu  |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------|----------|-------------|--------|
| Derivative  | Conversion  | (Month/Day/Year)    | Execution Date, if | Transacti  | onNumber   | Expiration D        | ate             | Amou     | nt of    | Derivative  | Deriv  |
| Security    | or Exercise |                     | any                | Code       | of         | (Month/Day/         | Year)           | Under    | lying    | Security    | Secui  |
| (Instr. 3)  | Price of    |                     | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e                   |                 | Securi   | ities    | (Instr. 5)  | Bene   |
|             | Derivative  |                     |                    |            | Securities |                     |                 | (Instr.  | 3 and 4) |             | Owne   |
|             | Security    |                     |                    |            | Acquired   |                     |                 |          |          |             | Follo  |
|             | ·           |                     |                    |            | (A) or     |                     |                 |          |          |             | Repo   |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | Disposed   |                     |                 |          |          |             | Trans  |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | of (D)     |                     |                 |          |          |             | (Instr |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | (Instr. 3, |                     |                 |          |          |             | `      |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | 4, and 5)  |                     |                 |          |          |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            |                     |                 |          |          |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            |                     |                 |          | Amount   |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title Nu |          |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            |                     |                 |          | Number   |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            | Lacroisdoic         | Dute            |          | of       |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    | Code V     | (A) (D)    |                     |                 |          | Shares   |             |        |

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Scherping Katherine Lee 6312 S. FIDDLER'S GREEN CIRCLE SUITE 200N GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111

Chief Financial Officer

### **Signatures**

/s/ Attorney-in-Fact Annita M. Menogan

03/04/2011

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- In connection with the vesting of 675 time-based restricted stock units which were granted on March 2, 2010 under the issuer's Amended and Restated 2007 Performance Incentive Plan, the reporting person sold 238 of such shares to the issuer to satisfy her tax withholding obligations. The sale was approved by the issuer's compensation committee in accordance with Rule 16b-3(d)(1) of the Exchange Act ("Act"), and as such, the sale is exempt from Section 16(b) of the Act pursuant to Rule 16b-3(e) promulgated thereunder.
- Includes 5,325 restricted stock units and 2,125 shares of restricted stock issued under the issuer's Amended and Restated 2007

  Performance Incentive Plan that are subject to vesting and forfeiture restrictions, and 2,000 shares of common stock held by the reporting person in joint tenancy with her husband. The amount presented in the table does not include 3,000 shares of common stock held directly by the reporting person's husband of which the reporting person disclaims benefical ownership.

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