

SMITH BRUCE D
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SMITH BRUCE D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Citi Trends Inc [CTRN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
104 COLEMAN BLVD.

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/18/2017

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Acting CEO, COO and CFO

(Street)
SAVANNAH, GA 31408

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	12/18/2017		M	2,497 A \$ 0	105,131	D	
Common Stock	12/18/2017		F	1,198 D \$ 27.52	103,933	D	
Common Stock	12/19/2017		M	2,672 A \$ 0	106,605	D	
Common Stock	12/19/2017		F	1,282 D \$ 27.19	105,323	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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	12/18/2017		M	2,497 <u>(2)</u>	<u>(1)</u> 03/14/2020	Common Stock	2,497
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	12/19/2017		M	2,672 <u>(2)</u>	<u>(1)</u> 03/15/2019	Common Stock	2,672

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SMITH BRUCE D 104 COLEMAN BLVD. SAVANNAH, GA 31408			Acting CEO, COO and CFO	

Signatures

/s/ Constance Matousek, as attorney-in-fact
Date: 12/20/2017

**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).

- (1) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Citi Trends common stock. The Restricted Stock Units vest upon Citi Trends' common stock achieving various market prices.
- (2) Includes restricted stock units that the reporting person has accrued through dividend equivalent rights following the grant of the original award.

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