

Varma Vivek C
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**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
 Varma Vivek C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 STARBUCKS CORP [SBUX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 2401 UTAH AVENUE
 SOUTH, SUITE 800
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/06/2018

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 evp, Public Affairs

SEATTLE, WA 98134

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	12/06/2018		A	V 69 <u>(1)</u> A \$ 66.72	67,668 <u>(2)</u>	D	
Common Stock	12/06/2018		F	28 <u>(3)</u> D \$ 66.72	67,640	D	
Common Stock					93,171.183	I	by family LLC

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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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Varma Vivek C 2401 UTAH AVENUE SOUTH SUITE 800 SEATTLE, WA 98134			evp, Public Affairs	

Signatures

/s/ Joshua M. Westerman, attorney-in-fact for Vivek C. Varma
 12/07/2018

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) Represents accrued dividend equivalents on vested Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs").
- (2) Includes 139 accrued dividend equivalents on unvested RSUs.
- (3) Shares withheld by the issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations upon the dividend accrual on vested RSUs reported in footnote 1; not an open market transaction.

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