Vera Bradley, Inc. Form 8-K March 06, 2019

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

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D)

OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 28, 2019

VERA BRADLEY, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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Indiana 001-34918 27-2935063 (State or Other Jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of Incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

12420 Stonebridge Road,

46783

Roanoke, Indiana

+0763

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(877) 708-8372

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

None

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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CFR 240.14a-12)

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company o

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. o

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Item 5.03 Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

Effective February 28, 2019, the Board of Directors of Vera Bradley, Inc. (the "Company") amended the Company's Amended and Restated Bylaws ("Bylaws") to eliminate the classified structure of the Board and to elect each director to serve for a one-year term upon expiration of his or her existing term.

The description of the amendment to the Bylaws above is qualified in its entirety to the text of the Amended and Restated Bylaws through February 28, 2019, which are attached as Exhibit 3.2 to this Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

3.2 Vera Bradley, Inc. Amended and Restated Bylaws through February 28, 2019

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## **SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Vera Bradley, Inc. (Registrant)

March 6, 2019 /s/ Mark C. Dely

Mark C. Dely

Chief Administrative Officer