FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol PAPA JOHNS INTERNATIONAL INC [ PZZA ]		tionship of Reporting Person(s) all applicable)	to Issuer
(Last) (First) (Middle)				X	Director	10% Owner Other (specify below)
					Officer (give title	
(Last) P. O. BOX 99900	(First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/18/2017		below)	
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Che	ck Applicable Line)
LOUISVILLE	KY	40269		X	Form filed by One Reporting Form filed by More than One	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)				

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

Į,	1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transac Code (Ir 8)		4. Securities Acc Disposed Of (D)			Securities Beneficially Owned		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	3 and 4)		(IIISU. 4)
	Common Stock	08/18/2017		A		202.7506	A	\$78.53	187,494.9144	D	

## 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. Transac Code (li 8)		5. Num Derivat Securit Acquire or Disp (D) (Ins and 5)	ive ies ed (A) osed of	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/\)	ate	7. Title and Ai Securities Un Derivative Se 3 and 4)	derlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

Debra A. Tate, by power of

08/22/2017

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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