LORD GENE D Form 4

November 19, 2010

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LORD GENE D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

FLOWERS FOODS INC [FLO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director

10% Owner

1925 FLOWERS CIRCLE

(Month/Day/Year)

11/19/2010

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) **EVP & Chief Operating Officer**

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

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Person

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

THOMASVILLE, GA 31757

1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Amount (D) Price

D

11/19/2010 Stock Common

Common

Stock

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By 401(k) I (1)

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

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. F Der Sec (Ins
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option (Right to Buy) (2)	\$ 18.68					01/03/2009	01/03/2013	Common Stock	34,725	
Option (Right to Buy) (2)	\$ 19.57					02/05/2010	02/05/2014	Common Stock	45,675	
Option (Right to Buy) (2)	\$ 24.75					02/04/2011	02/04/2015	Common Stock	46,350	
Option (Right to Buy) (2)	\$ 23.84					02/09/2012	02/09/2016	Common Stock	56,050	
Restricted Stock Award (2)	\$ 0					02/09/2011	(3)	Common Stock	11,550	
Option (Right to Buy) (2)	\$ 25.01					02/09/2013	02/09/2017	Common Stock	65,500	
Restricted Stock Award (2)	\$ 0 (4)					02/09/2012	(3)	Common Stock	10,300	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
reporting of their remains a remainder	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
LORD GENE D					
1925 FLOWERS CIRCLE			EVP & Chief Operating Officer		
THOMASVILLE, GA 31757					

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/s/ Stephen R. Avera, Agent 11/19/2010

**Signature of Reporting Date
Person

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) Total includes exempt acquisitions of shares allocated to reporting person in Issuer's 401(k) Plan, as of 12/31/2009.
- (2) Granted pursuant to the Flowers Foods, Inc. 2001 Equity and Performance Incentive Plan.
- (3) Grant expires on Exercisable Date if performance measures are not met.
- (4) In accordance with the terms of the 2010 Restricted Stock Award Agreement, the performance shares awarded do not have a conversion or exercise price.

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