

Byrne James Bradley  
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**FORM 4**

**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 \*  
 Byrne James Bradley

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O VERA BRADLEY, INC., 12420  
 STONEBRIDGE ROAD

(Street)

ROANOKE, IN 46783

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 Vera Bradley, Inc. [VRA]

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

04/23/2019

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 Member of a 10% owner group

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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	04/23/2019		S		16,412 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 11.36 <sup>(2)</sup>
					2,724,057 <sup>(3)</sup>	I	
Common Stock	04/24/2019		S		28,588 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 11.69 <sup>(2)</sup>
					2,695,469 <sup>(3)</sup>	I	

By Barbara B. Baekgaard 2009 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust  
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1. Title of 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 (Instr. 6)	Grantor
Common Stock		04/23/2019		S	18,588 <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 11.36 <sup>(2)</sup>	139,740 <sup>(3)</sup>	I		Retained Annuity Trust By Barbara Bradley Baekgaard Family Foundation
Common Stock		04/24/2019		S	6,412 <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 11.69 <sup>(2)</sup>	133,328 <sup>(3)</sup>	I		By Barbara Bradley Baekgaard Family Foundation
Common Stock							118,619	I		By James Bradley Byrne Revocable Trust
Common Stock							411,003	I		By James B. Byrne 2017 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust #1

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Byrne James Bradley C/O VERA BRADLEY, INC. 12420 STONEBRIDGE ROAD ROANOKE, IN 46783				Member of a 10% owner group

## Signatures

/s/ James B.  
Byrne

04/25/2019

\*\*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) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected under a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Barbara B. Baekgaard 2009 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust and the Barbara Bradley Baekgaard Family Foundation on December 21, 2018.  
  
The prices reported are weighted average prices. The shares sold on April 23, 2019 were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$11.20 to \$11.49, inclusive, and the shares sold on April 24, 2019 were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$11.42 to \$11.84, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.
  - (2)
  - (3) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, except to the extent of the reporting person's pecuniary interest therein.

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