Centre Partners V, L.P. Form 4

# November 14, 2018

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

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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 \* Centre Partners V, L.P.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

LIFETIME BRANDS, INC [LCUT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 11/12/2018

(Check all applicable)

Director X 10% Owner \_ Other (specify Officer (give title below)

C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC. 825 THIRD **AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR** 

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person \_X\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Reneficially Owned

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos	. Securities Acquired (A) r Disposed of (D) Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or		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)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01, per share	11/12/2018		P P	5,212 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 10.225 (2)	5,598,328 (3)	I	See footnotes (4) (5) (6)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01, per share	11/13/2018		P	15,041 (1)	A	\$ 10.2324 (7)	5,613,369 (3)	I	See footnotes (4) (5) (6)
	11/14/2018		P		A		5,621,329 (3)	I	

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01, per share	7,960 (1)	\$ 10.3724 (8)			See footnotes (4) (5) (6)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01, per share			7,086	D (6) (9)	

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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secun Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
Reporting Owner Name / Address		10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Centre Partners V, L.P. C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X			
Centre Capital Investors V LP C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X			

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Centre Partners V LLC C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X
JRJ V LP C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X
Harwich Road V LP C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X
JRJ Inc. C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X
Harwich Road Inc. C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X
POLLACK BRUCE G C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X
JAFFE DAVID C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X

## **Signatures**

Centre Partners V, L.P., By: Centre Partners V LLC, Its: General Partner, By: /s/ William Tomai, Authorized Person						
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date					
Centre Capital Investors V LP, By: /s/ Bruce G. Pollack, Authorized Person						
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date					
Centre Partners V LLC, By: /s/ William Tomai, Authorized Person						
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date					
JRJ V LP, By: JRJ Inc., Its: General Partner, By: /s/ Bruce G. Pollack, President						
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date					
Harwich Road V LP, By: Harwich Road Inc., Its: General Partner, By: /s/ David L. Jaffe, President						
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date					
JRJ Inc., By: /s/ Bruce G. Pollack, President	11/14/2018					
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date					

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Harwich Road Inc., By: /s/ David L. Jaffe, President

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Bruce G. Pollack

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ David L. Jaffe

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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 shares of common stock purchased in open market transactions by Centre Capital Investors V, L.P. ("Centre Investors"). Centre Partners V, L.P. ("Centre Partners LP") is the sole general partner of Centre Investors.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$9.975 to \$10.25, inclusive. The reporting persons undertake to provide to 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 range set forth herein.
- (3) Includes 5,593,116 shares of common stock directly held by Taylor Parent, LLC ("Taylor Parent").
  - CP Taylor GP, LLC ("CP Taylor") has the authority to appoint the board of directors of Taylor Parent. Centre Partners, L.P. is the sole member of CP Taylor and the general partner of Centre Investors. Centre Partners V LLC ("Centre Partners") is the general partner of
- (4) Centre Partners LP. JRJ V LP ("JRJ LP") and Harwich Road V LP ("Harwich Road LP") are co-managers of Centre Partners. JRJ Inc. ("JRJ") is the general partner of JRJ LP. Harwich Road Inc. ("Harwich Road") is the general partner of Harwich Road LP. Bruce Pollack is the president of JRJ. David Jaffe is the president of Harwich Road. (Cont'd in FN 5)
- (Cont'd from FN 4) As such, Centre Partners LP, Centre Partners, JRJ LP, Harwich Road LP, JRJ, Harwich Road, Bruce Pollack and David Jaffe may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of the Issuer owned directly by Centre Investors and CP Taylor, Centre Partners LP, Centre Partners, JRJ LP, Harwich Road LP, JRJ, Harwich Road, Bruce Pollack and David Jaffe may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of the Issuer owned directly by Taylor Parent.
- (6) Each of the Reporting Persons disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of the Issuer except to the extent of their respective pecuniary interest therein.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$10.12 to \$10.25, inclusive. The reporting persons undertake to provide to 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 range set forth herein.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$10.295 to \$10.40, inclusive. The reporting persons undertake to provide to 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 range set forth herein.
- (9) These shares are directly owned by Mr. Pollack.

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