FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Yuhas George A. | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CENTRAL GARDEN & PET CO [CENT] | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner | | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CENTRAL GARDEN & PET COMPANY, 1340 TREAT BLVD, SUITE 600 | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/13/2020 | | | | | | X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) General Counsel | | | | | |
| (Street) WALNUT CREEK, CA 94597 | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | | |
| (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | 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) | | | Ownership of Form: | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | |
| | | | | | Coo | le ' | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | (instr. 3 | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) | |
| Class A Common Stock | | 05/13/2020 | | | S | | | 12,747 | D | \$ 32.088 (1) | 1 20,905 | 20,905 | | D | | |
| Units | | | | | | | | | | | 5,018.5 | 5,018.58 | | Ι | By 401(k) Plan (2) | |
| Reminder: | Report on a s | separate line | | Derivativo | e Securi | ties Ac | F c t quirec | Person the | sons whatained in form dis | no res n this splays | form ar a curre Beneficia | e not requently valid | ction of inf uired to res OMB conf | spond unle | ess | 1474 (9-02) |
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| Security | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transacti Date (Month/Day | Execution Da | ate, if Tra | | 5. Numb of Deriv Secur Acqu (A) of Dispo of (D) (Instr 4, and | ative ities ired seed 3, | and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Vec es d d | | e Am Und Sec | Title and ount of derlying urities str. 3 and | ount of erlying rities r. 3 and Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | | of 10. Owners Form o Derivat Security Direct (or Indir n(s) (I) (Instr. 4 | Beneficia Ownersh (Instr. 4) | |
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Reporting Owners

| | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|--------------|-----------------|-------|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| Yuhas George A. C/O CENTRAL GARDEN & PET COMPANY 1340 TREAT BLVD, SUITE 600 WALNUT CREEK, CA 94597 | | | General Counsel | | | | |

Signatures

| /s/George Yuhas | 05/14/2020 |
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| **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 range of prices for the shares of Class A Common Stock is from \$31.84 to \$32.34. The Reporting Person undertakes that the Reporting Person will provide, upon request by the staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, full information regarding the number of securities sold at each separate price.
- (2) The units represent interests in the CENTA Stock Fund in the Issuer's 401(k) Plan, which consist of shares of CENTA stock and cash.

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