STARBUCKS CORP

Form 4

November 23, 2016

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1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Helm Lucy Lee

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

STARBUCKS CORP [SBUX]

(Middle) (Last) (First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

2401 UTAH AVE SOUTH, SUITE

(Street)

11/21/2016

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

(Check all applicable)

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evp, gen. counsel & secretary

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

below)

SEATTLE, WA 98134

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (T)

(Instr. 4)

(A)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of Transaction Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Title Exercisable Date

Non-qualified

Stock Option \$ 56.1 11/21/2016 (Right to Buy)

A 93,817

<u>(1)</u> 11/21/2026

Common 93,8

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or Numb of Sh

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Helm Lucy Lee

2401 UTAH AVE SOUTH, SUITE 800 SEATTLE, WA 98134

evp, gen. counsel & secretary

Signatures

/s/ Robert L. Villasenor, attorney-in-fact for Lucy Lee Helm

11/23/2016

**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 option, representing the right to buy a total of 93,817 shares, becomes exercisable in one increment of 23,455 shares on November 21, 2017 and three increments of 23,454 shares each on November 21, 2018, November 21, 2019 and November 21, 2020.

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