LEE ENTERPRISES, INC

Form 4

Common

Stock

December 14, 2015

| FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EVOLUNCE COMMISSION | | | | | | | | OMB APPROVAL | | | | |
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| (Print or Type Responses) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SCHERMER GREGORY P Symbol | | | | Name and Ticker or Trading | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice PresInteractive Media | | | | |
| | ATED, 201 N. STREET, STE. | 600 | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Street) 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 | | | | | | |
| DAVENPORT, IA 52801 | | | | | | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table | I - Non-D | erivative S | ecurit | ies Acc | quired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficia | lly Owned | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | 3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price | | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | | | |
| Common Stock | 12/11/2015 | | | A | 5,000 | A | \$ 0 | 1,072,055 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 540 | I (1) | By Son | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 2,000 | I (1) | By Son in Trust | | |

By Daughter

I (1)

I (1)

540

540

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| C | | | | | | | | D |
|-----------------|------------|---|--------|---|------|--------|-------|----------------------------|
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | By Daughter |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 540 | I (1) | By Daughter |
| Common Stock | 11/15/2012 | J | 23,279 | A | \$0 | 29,280 | I (1) | By Son in Trust |
| Common Stock | 11/15/2012 | J | 23,279 | A | \$ 0 | 27,280 | I (1) | By Daughter in Trust |
| Common Stock | 11/15/2012 | J | 23,279 | A | \$0 | 23,280 | I (1) | By Daughter in Trust |
| Common Stock | 11/15/2012 | J | 23,279 | A | \$0 | 23,280 | I (1) | By Daughter in Trust |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 55,000 | I (1) | By Trust |

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of or 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) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 2.57 | 09/28/2010 | | A | 12,600 | 09/28/2011 | 09/28/2020 | Common Stock | 12,600 (2) |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to | \$ 1.13 | 04/30/2012 | | A | 40,000 | 04/30/2013 | 04/30/2022 | Common Stock | 40,000 |

Buy)

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|----------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| SCHERMER GREGORY P C/O LEE ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED 201 N. HARRISON STREET, STE. 600 DAVENPORT, IA 52801 | X | | Vice PresInteractive Media | | | | |

Signatures

/s/Edmund H. Carroll, Limited POA, Attorney-in-Fact

12/14/2015

**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) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest, if any, therein.
- These securities are exercisable as follows: 30% upon the first anniversary date of the grant; 60% upon the second anniversary date of the grant; and 100% upon the third anniversary date of the grant.

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