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# FORM 3

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

A Trypus Mary Beth

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

03/27/2018

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Vera Bradley, Inc. [VRA]

(Check all applicable)

Chief Sales Officer

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

(Street)

Director \_X\_\_ Officer (give title below) (specify below)

10% Owner Other

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

ROANOKE. INÂ 46783

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership

(I)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect

(Instr. 5)

Â Common Shares  $7,300^{(1)}$ D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

**Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

2. Date Exercisable and 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4. 5. Conversion or Exercise

6. Nature of Indirect Ownership Beneficial Ownership Form of (Instr. 5)

Price of Derivative Derivative Security:

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Amount or

Security

Date Expiration Title

Exercisable Date Number of Shares

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

**Reporting Owners** 

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Trypus Mary Beth

C/O VERA BRADLEY, INC. 12420 STONEBRIDGE ROAD ROANOKE, INÂ 46783

Â Chief Sales Officer Â

**Signatures** 

/s/ Alyson Bohren, attorney-in-fact for Mary Beth
Trypus 04/03/2018

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) As of March 27, 2018, included 6,712 restricted stock units subject to vesting and forfeiture.

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#### **Remarks:**

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24.1 -- Power of Attorney

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