Griffin Augustus C. Form 5 February 22, 2019

#### **OMB APPROVAL** FORM 5 **OMB** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION 3235-0362 Number: Washington, D.C. 20549 Check this box if January 31, Expires: no longer subject 2005 to Section 16. Estimated average ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL Form 4 or Form burden hours per 5 obligations OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES response... 1.0 may continue. See Instruction Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 1(b). Form 3 Holdings Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section Reported 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 Form 4 Transactions Reported 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer Griffin Augustus C. Symbol MGP INGREDIENTS INC [MGPI] (Check all applicable) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (First) (Middle) (Month/Day/Year) \_X\_ Director 10% Owner \_X\_\_ Officer (give title Other (specify 12/31/2018 below) below) C/O MGP INGREDIENTS. President and CEO INC.. 100 COMMERCIAL STREET (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting Filed(Month/Day/Year) (check applicable line) ATCHISON, KSÂ 66002 \_X\_ Form Filed by One Reporting Person Form Filed by More than One Reporting (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 7. Nature of 1. Title of 4. Securities Acquired 6. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction (A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned at end of Direct (D) Ownership Issuer's Fiscal or Indirect (Instr. 4) (A) Year **(T)** or (Instr. 3 and 4) (Instr. 4) Amount (D) Price Common Â 02/25/2018(1) F5 7,639 106,154.788 D D Stock 86.65

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code	5. Number of	6. Date Exerc Expiration Do (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title Amou	nt of	8. Price of Derivative Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	e	- 3,	Securi	, ,	(Instr. 5)	
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Griffin Augustus C. C/O MGP INGREDIENTS, INC. 100 COMMERCIAL STREET ATCHISON, KS 66002	ÂX	Â	President and CEO	Â			

## **Signatures**

/s/Lori Norlen as attorney-in-fact for Augustus C. 02/22/2019

\*\*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) In connection with a restricted stock unit (RSU) vesting on the transaction date, RSUs were withheld for payment of the resulting tax liability

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