

FLOWERS FOODS INC

Form 4

February 11, 2008

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
LORD GENE D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1925 FLOWERS CIRCLE

(Street)

THOMASVILLE, GA 31757

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

FLOWERS FOODS INC [FLO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)

02/07/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)

Pres/COO Bakeries Group

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction 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) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/07/2008		M	4,290 A	\$ 0 229,271.1242	D	
Common Stock	02/07/2008		F	1,392 D	\$ 22.93 227,879.1242	D	
Common Stock					2,512 ⁽¹⁾	I	By 401(k)

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Award ⁽²⁾	\$ 0	02/07/2008		A	2,145 ⁽³⁾	01/03/2008 01/03/2008	Common Stock 2,145
Restricted Stock Award ⁽²⁾	\$ 0	02/07/2008		M	4,290	01/03/2008 01/03/2008	Common Stock 4,290
Restricted Stock Award ⁽²⁾	\$ 0					02/05/2009 02/05/2009 ⁽⁴⁾	Common Stock 12,000
Restricted Stock Award ⁽²⁾	\$ 0					02/04/2010 02/04/2010 ⁽⁴⁾	Common Stock 11,000
Option (Right to Buy) ⁽²⁾	\$ 24.75					02/04/2011 02/04/2015	Common Stock 46,000
Option (Right to Buy) ⁽²⁾	\$ 18.68					01/03/2009 01/03/2013	Common Stock 34,000
Option (Right to Buy) ⁽²⁾	\$ 19.57					02/05/2010 02/05/2014	Common Stock 45,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LORD GENE D 1925 FLOWERS CIRCLE THOMASVILLE, GA 31757			Pres/COO Bakeries Group	

Signatures

Stephen R. Avera,
Agent

02/11/2008

__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) Total includes exempt acquisitions of shares allocated to reporting person in Issuer's 401(k) Plan, as of the 2007 fiscal year end, 12/29/2007.
- (2) Granted pursuant to the Flowers Foods, Inc. 2001 Equity and Performance Incentive Plan.
- (3) The number of shares acquired represents the maximum number of additional shares which may be awarded, in accordance with the terms of the 2006 Restricted Stock Award Agreement.
- (4) Grant expires on Exercisable Date if performance measures are not met.

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