

OVERTON DAVID  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
OVERTON DAVID

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CHEESECAKE FACTORY INC  
[CAKE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
26901 MALIBU HILLS ROAD  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/13/2019

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Chairman and C.E.O.

CALABASAS HILLS, CA 91301

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	02/13/2019		A	23,700 (1)	\$ 0 44,300 (2)	D	
Common Stock					2,864,760	I	By Trust (3)
Common Stock					183,950	I	By Trust (4)
Common Stock					60,211	I	By Trust (5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.



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- (5) Shares held by Mr. Overton's spouse as trustee for the Sheila A. Overton Living Trust. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.
- (6) Vests as to 20% of the options on each of 2/13/2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024.
- (7) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of CAKE common stock.
- (8) On February 13, 2019, the Compensation Committee certificated to the attainment of the EPS goals and determined that 75% of the RSUs were eligible to vest based on continued service-vesting conditions, subject to continued service.
- (9) Restricted Stock Unit award expires upon reporting person's termination of services.

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