

TEMARES STEVEN H

Form 4

October 14, 2011

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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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
TEMARES STEVEN H

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O BED BATH & BEYOND
INC., 650 LIBERTY AVENUE

(Street)

UNION, NJ 07083

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
BED BATH & BEYOND INC
[BBBY]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/12/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify
below) Chief Executive Officer

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

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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/12/2011		M		26,609	A	\$ 31.615 526,890
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/12/2011		S		26,609	D	\$ (1) 60.0639 500,281
	10/13/2011		M		34,800	A	\$ 31.615 535,081

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10/13/2011 S 34,800 D \$ 60.1052 500,281 D
(2)

10/14/2011 M 58,591 A \$ 31.615 558,872 D

10/14/2011 M 180,000 A \$ 32.52 738,872 D

10/14/2011 S 238,591 D \$ 60.2651 500,281 D
(3)

5,000 (4) I

By Family
Limited
Partnership

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. 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number

									Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.615	10/12/2011	M	26,609	<u>(5)</u>	03/06/2012	Common Stock	26,609	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.615	10/13/2011	M	34,800	<u>(5)</u>	03/06/2012	Common Stock	34,800	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.615	10/14/2011	M	58,591	<u>(5)</u>	03/06/2012	Common Stock	58,591	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.52	10/14/2011	M	180,000	<u>(5)</u>	03/06/2012	Common Stock	180,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
TEMARES STEVEN H C/O BED BATH & BEYOND INC. 650 LIBERTY AVENUE UNION, NJ 07083	X		Chief Executive Officer	

Signatures

/s/ Ori Solomon -
Attorney-in-Fact

10/14/2011

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$60.00 to \$60.30. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer.

(2) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$60.05 to \$60.37. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer.

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This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$60.05 to \$60.9113. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer.

- (4) Represents shares held by a family limited partnership established by Mr. Temares' mother. Mr. Temares disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (5) The stock option was fully exercisable.

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