FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Name and Address of Reporting Person * O'Leary Daniel James			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Hostess Brands, Inc. [TWNK]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O HOSTESS BRANDS, INC., 7905 QUIVIRA ROAD			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/02/2021					X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) See Remarks						
(Street) LENEXA, KS 66215				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm 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)		(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquire (A) or Disposed of (I (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	Beneficia Reported	nt of Securiti lly Owned F Transaction	ollowing	6. Ownership Form:	Beneficial
				(Month/Day/Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 a	nd 4)			Ownership (Instr. 4)
Restricte	d Stock U	nits (1)	06/02/2021		A		12,870	A	\$ 0	12,870			D	
Restricted Stock Units (2) 06/02/2021			A		19,305	A	\$ 0	32,175		D				
				Derivative Securiti	es Acquire	conta the fo	ained in orm disp sposed of	this for plays a f, or Ben	rm are curre	e not requ ntly valid		ormation spond unle rol numbe	ss	1474 (9-02)
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise		3A. Deemed Execution Da	te, if Transaction	5.	6. Da	te Exerci Expiration	sable n Date	7. T	itle and ount of		9. Number Derivative	of 10. Owners	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
O'Leary Daniel James C/O HOSTESS BRANDS, INC. 7905 QUIVIRA ROAD LENEXA, KS 66215			See Remarks			

Signatures

/s/ Jolyn J. Sebree, Attorney-in-Fact	06/04/2021
**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).
- In connection with the reporting person's hiring as Executive Vice President, Chief Growth Officer of Hostess Brands, Inc. (the "Company"), the Company has granted two awards of restricted stock units to the reporting person. Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive, upon vesting, one share of Class A Common Stock. This award will vest over three years in equal or nearly equal installments on June 2 of each of 2022, 2023 and 2024, assuming continued employment through the applicable vesting date.
- (2) This award was a sign-on equity award with a two-year vesting period. These restricted stock units will vest in equal or nearly equal installments on June 2 of each of 2022 and 2023, assuming continued employment through the applicable vesting date.

Remarks:

Executive Vice President, Chief Growth Officer

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