SEC Form 4

**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] | 2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) |
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| MCKIBBIN GATES | TrueBlue, Inc. [ TBI ] | X Director ☐ 10% Owner |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/07/2014 | ☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below) |
| 1015 A STREET P.O. BOX 2910 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) |
| (Street) | | X Form filed by One Reporting Person |
| TACOMA WA 98402 | | ☐ 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
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| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/07/2014 | | A | | 1,586 | A | $0 | 14,273 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 1,447 | I | Ms. McKibbin's Retirement Account |

**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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
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| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Deferred Stock Award | (1) | 02/07/2014 | | A | | 2,378 | | (2) | (2) | Common Stock | 2,378 | $0 | 13,277[3] | D | |

**Explanation of Responses:**

1. Each deferred stock award represents a right to receive one share of TrueBlue, Inc. common stock.

2. The deferred stock award is fully vested. Delivery of these shares to Ms. McKibbin will be made in 25% increments starting ninety (90) days after her separation of service on the Board of Directors, and in three annual installments thereafter.

3. As disclosed herein and in prior Form 4 reports, a portion of these shares will be paid to Ms. McKibbin ninety (90) days after her separation of service on the Board of Directors, and a portion in annual installments thereafter.

Todd N. Gilman, Attorney-in-fact        02/10/2014

** Signature of Reporting Person        Date

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

* 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).

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