FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D	D.C. 20549
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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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					or Se	ection	30(h) d	of the I	nvestme	ent Co	mpany Act of	1940							
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Johnson John S. III</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BuzzFeed, Inc. [ BZFD ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CRM MANAGEMENT						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/18/2024								Officer (give title X Other (specify below)  Member of 10% Group					
PO BOX 778						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10013														Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
NEW YORK NY 10013																			
(City)	(S	tate) (2	Zip)		$ _{\Box}$	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication  Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.													
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Date)			tion 2A. I Exec y/Year) if an		A. Deemed xecution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3,		ed (A) or	5. A Sec Ben Owr	mount of urities eficially led Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Tran	orted saction(s) rr. 3 and 4)	ction(s)		(Instr. 4)			
Class A Common Stock 01/18/20					024				S		50,000	D	\$0.2	306 4,	855,779(1)	) I		By Johnson BF, LLC <sup>(2)</sup>	
Class A Common Stock					$\neg$										31,461		D		
		Tal	ble II -	Derivati	ve Se	cur	ities	Acau	ired.	Disp	osed of, o	or Ber	eficia	IIv Own	ed				
											convertibl								
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	emed tion Date, n/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)				6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares						
	nd Address o n John S	of Reporting Person*																	
(Last) C/O CRI	M MANA(	(First) GEMENT	(Mi	iddle)															
(Street) NEW Y	ORK	NY	10	013															
(City)		(State)	(Zi	p)															
	nd Address o	of Reporting Person*																	
(Last) C/O CRI PO BOX	M MANA( 778	(First) GEMENT	(Mi	iddle)															
(Street)	ORK	NY	10	013															

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- 1. On January 18, 2024, the Reporting Person sold these shares in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$0.2255 to \$0.2324. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes to provide to the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer or any security holder of the Issuer, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transactions were effected.
- 2. These shares are directly held by Johnson BF, LLC, of which John S. Johnson, III is the sole member.

## Remarks:

John S. Johnson, III and Johnson BF, LLC (collectively, the "Johnson Parties") may be deemed to be members of a "group," within the meaning of Section 13(d)(3) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 with Jonah Peretti and Jonah Peretti, LLC (together, "Peretti"). The Johnson Parties do not have any pecuniary interest in any shares beneficially owned by Peretti, and the Johnson Parties disclaim beneficial ownership of such shares.

/s/ Heather Flores-Ricks,
Attorney-in-Fact for John S.
Johnson, III
/s/ Heather Flores-Ricks,
Attorney-in-Fact for Johnson

BF, LLC

01/22/2024
01/22/2024

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

- $^{\star}$  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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