FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Patel Nishu D.		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 10/03/2023 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Freshpet, Inc. [FRPT]									
C/O FRESHPET, INC.	(Middle)	= 10/03/2023 = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = =		Issuer (Check all applicable) Director	rector 10% Owner ficer (give Other (specify		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 10/10/2023				
(Street) BEDMINSTER NJ (City) (State)	07921 (Zip)			title below)			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 Beneficially Owned											
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)		Į i	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)					
Common Stock				1,883(1)(2)	D						
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)											
		ate	3. Title and Amount of S Underlying Derivative Se (Instr. 4)	curity Conver		cise	cise Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.			
			Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price o Derivat Securit	ive	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	5)		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. These shares were omitted from the Reporting Person's original Form 3.
- 2. The shares of restricted Common Stock were awarded to the Reporting Person on June 28, 2023 under the Issuer's 2014 Omnibus Incentive Plan and vest in three equal annual installments beginning June 28, 2024, subject to the Reporting Person's continued service with the Issuer.

Remarks:

Note: As of the filing date of this Amendment, the Reporting Person is the Chief Accounting Officer of the Issuer. As of October 3, 2023, the date that required the filing of the original Form 3, the Reporting Person was Vice President and Controller of the Issuer.

> /s/ Todd Cunfer, as attorney-in-fact for the

07/02/2024

Reporting Person

Date

** Signature of Reporting

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 5 (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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