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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Morris Scott James		on*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Freshpet, Inc.</u> [FRPT]		tionship of Reporting Pe all applicable) Director	rson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
(Last) C/O FRESHPE 400 PLAZA DI	(First) T, INC. RIVE, FLOOR 1	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/21/2018		Officer (give title below) President and	Other (specify below) d COO	
(Street) SECAUCUS (City)	NJ (State)	07094 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Filir Form filed by One Rej Form filed by More tha Person	porting Person	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Date Execution Date, Transaction Dispose					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common stock	08/21/2018		М		3,333	A	\$9.05	166,131	D	
Common stock	08/21/2018		S		3,333	D	\$36.35	162,798	D	
Common stock	08/21/2018		М		562	A	\$15	163,360	D	
Common stock	08/21/2018		S		562	D	\$36.35	162,798	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transa Code (8)		of Deri Sec Acq (A) (Disp of (I	oosed D) tr. 3, 4	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)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Options to purchase common stock	\$9.05	08/21/2018		М			3,333	(1)	05/09/2026	Common stock	3,333	\$0	61,282	D	
Options to purchase common stock	\$15	08/21/2018		М			562	(2)	11/07/2024	Common stock	562	\$0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The options were issued pursuant to the Issuer's 2014 Omnibus Incentive Plan. The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning May 9, 2017, of which half are time based awards and remaining half are performance based awards.

2. The options were issued pursuant to the Issuer's 2014 Omnibus Incentive Plan. The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning November 7, 2015.

<u>/s/ Richard A. Kassar, as</u>
Attorney-in-fact for the
Reporting Person

08/22/2018

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).

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