

**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Schultz Gary A</u>			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) <u>05/06/2021</u>		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>BEYOND MEAT, INC. [ BYND ]</u>	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) <u>VP, Corporate Controller</u>			5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)
<u>C/O BEYOND MEAT, INC.</u>						
(Street) <u>EL SEGUNDO CA 90245</u>						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City) (State) (Zip)						

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	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)
<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>1,422<sup>(1)</sup></u>	<u>D</u>	

**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
<u>Stock Option (right to buy)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	<u>12/21/2024</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>6,667</u>	<u>0.93</u>	<u>D</u>	
<u>Stock Option (right to buy)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	<u>07/19/2026</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>7,932</u>	<u>0.95</u>	<u>D</u>	
<u>Stock Option (right to buy)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	<u>05/03/2027</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>10,000</u>	<u>1.56</u>	<u>D</u>	
<u>Stock Option (right to buy)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	<u>05/16/2028</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>6,150</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>D</u>	
<u>Stock Option (right to buy)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	<u>10/23/2028</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>2,666</u>	<u>17.03</u>	<u>D</u>	
<u>Stock Option (right to buy)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	<u>05/06/2030</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>1,177</u>	<u>122.66</u>	<u>D</u>	
<u>Stock Option (right to buy)</u>	<u>(8)</u>	<u>03/11/2031</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>1,783</u>	<u>142.45</u>	<u>D</u>	

**Explanation of Responses:**

1. Restricted stock units ("RSU") granted under the 2018 Equity Incentive Plan (the "2018 Plan") on May 7, 2020 and April 12, 2021; 1/16th of the total number of shares subject to the RSU awards vest each quarter.
2. Stock option granted under the 2011 Equity Incentive Plan ("2011 Plan") on December 22, 2014; the option is 100% and exercisable.
3. Stock option granted under the 2011 Plan on July 20, 2016; the option is 100% vested exercisable.
4. Stock option granted under the 2011 Plan on May 4, 2017; the option is 100% vested and exercisable.
5. Stock option granted under the 2011 Plan on May 17, 2018; the option vested and became exercisable as to 25% of the total shares on May 17, 2019, and 1/48th of the total shares vests and becomes exercisable monthly thereafter.
6. Stock option granted under the 2011 Plan on October 24, 2018; the option vested and became exercisable as to 25% of the total shares on October 24, 2019, and 1/48th of the total shares vests and becomes exercisable monthly thereafter.
7. Stock option granted under the 2018 Plan on May 7, 2020; the option vested and became exercisable as to 1/48th of the total shares on June 7, 2020, and 1/48th of the total shares vests and becomes exercisable monthly thereafter.
8. Stock option granted under the 2018 Plan on March 12, 2021; 1/48th of the total shares vested and became exercisable on April 12, 2021, and 1/48th of the total shares vests and becomes exercisable monthly thereafter.

**Remarks:**

Exhibit 24 Power of Attorney attached.

/s/ Teri L. Witteman, Attorney-In-Fact 05/17/2021  
for Gary A. Schultz  
\*\* 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 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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Power of Attorney

The undersigned as a Section 16 reporting person of Beyond Meat, Inc. (the "Company"), hereby constitutes and appoints Mark J. Nelson and Teri

- (1) execute, deliver and file for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of the Company
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such
- (3) seek or obtain, as the undersigned's representative and on the undersigned's behalf, information on transactions in the Company's securities
- (4) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever  
This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 2nd day of May 2021.

/s/ Gary Schultz

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Signature

GARY SCHULTZ

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Print Name