

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Nelson Jonathan P</u>			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) <u>08/27/2021</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 _____ 10% Owner _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below) _____ <u>Interim COO</u>			5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	
C/O BEYOND MEAT, INC. 119 STANDARD STREET						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	
(Street)	(City)	(State)	(Zip)				
EL SEGUNDO	CA		90245				
(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)
Common Stock	2,424 ⁽¹⁾	D	

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			
Stock Option (right to buy)	(2)	08/08/2031	Common Stock	4,847	130.32	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- Restricted stock units ("RSU") granted under the 2018 Equity Incentive Plan ("Plan") on August 9, 2021; 1/4th of the total number of shares subject to the RSU award vests on May 31, 2022 and 1/16th of the total number of shares vests each quarter thereafter, until the award is fully vested on May 31, 2025, subject to the acceleration provisions of an Executive Change in Control Severance Agreement by and between the Reporting Person and the Issuer and continued service by the Reporting Person.
- Stock option granted under the Plan on August 9, 2021; the option vests and becomes exercisable as to 25% of the total shares on May 31, 2022, and 1/48th of the total shares vests and becomes exercisable monthly thereafter, subject to the acceleration provisions of an Executive Change in Control Severance Agreement by and between the Reporting Person and the Issuer and continued service by the Reporting Person.

Remarks:

Exhibit 24 Power of Attorney attached.

/s/ Teri L. Witteman, Attorney-in-Fact for Jonathan P. Nelson 09/03/2021

** 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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