

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Brown Ethan</u>			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 05/01/2019		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) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Chief Executive Officer			5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	
C/O BEYOND MEAT, INC. 119 STANDARD STREET			10% Owner Other (specify below)			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) 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	1,604,027	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				
Stock Option (right to buy)	(1)	08/25/2023	Common Stock 202,130	0.65	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	(2)	01/21/2025	Common Stock 966,006	0.93	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	07/19/2026	Common Stock 301,960	0.95	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	(4)	05/29/2028	Common Stock 332,157	3	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- Stock option granted under the 2011 Equity Incentive Plan ("Plan") on August 26, 2013; the option vested and became exercisable as to 25% of the total shares on May 26, 2014, and 1/48th of the total shares vested and became exercisable monthly thereafter such that the option became fully vested and exercisable on May 26, 2017 subject to the acceleration provisions of an Executive Change in Control Severance Agreement by and between the Reporting Person and the Issuer.
- Stock option granted under the Plan on January 22, 2015; the option vested and became exercisable as to 25% of the total shares on June 19, 2015, and 1/48th of the total shares vests and becomes exercisable monthly thereafter such that the option became fully vested and exercisable on June 19, 2018, subject to the acceleration provisions of an Executive Change in Control Severance Agreement by and between the Reporting Person and the Issuer.
- Stock option granted under the Plan on July 20, 2016; the option vested and became exercisable as to 25% of the total shares on July 20, 2017, and 1/48th of the total shares vests and becomes exercisable monthly thereafter such that the option is fully vested and exercisable on July 20, 2020, subject to an Executive Change in Control Severance Agreement by and between the Reporting Person and the Issuer.
- Stock option granted under the Plan on May 30, 2018; the option vests and becomes exercisable as to 25% of the total shares on August 3, 2018, and 1/48th of the total shares vests and becomes exercisable monthly thereafter, such that the option is fully vested and exercisable on August 3, 2021, subject to an Executive Change in Control Severance Agreement by and between the Reporting Person and the Issuer.

Remarks:

Exhibit 24-Power of Attorney attached.

/s/ Mark J. Nelson, Attorney-In-Fact for Ethan Brown 05/01/2019

** 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 Sowmya S. Rajan, and each of them, as its attorneys in fact, to:

- (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, Forms 3, 4, and 5;
- (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 Form 3, 4, or 5, or
- (3) seek or obtain, as the undersigned's representative and on the undersigned's behalf, information on transactions in the Company's securities from any third party;
- (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 to, in the best interests of the undersigned.

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 the undersigned's securities.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this _____ day of _____, 2018.

/s/ Ethan Brown
Signature

ETHAN BROWN
Print Name