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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person \*

ROAD

A Knapper Anastacia S

C/O VERA BRADLEY.

INC., Â 2208 PRODUCTION

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

12/14/2011

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Vera Bradley, Inc. [VRA]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

Director \_X\_\_ Officer

10% Owner Other

(give title below) (specify below) General Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

FORT WAYNE. INÂ 46808

(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

Date

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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** 

5. Conversion Ownership Form of or Exercise

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

(Instr. 4)

**Expiration Title** Exercisable Date

Amount or Number of

Derivative Price of Security: Derivative Security Direct (D)

1

Shares

or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Knapper Anastacia S

C/O VERA BRADLEY, INC.
2208 PRODUCTION ROAD
FORT WAYNE, INÂ 46808

## **Signatures**

Anastacia S.
Knapper

\*\*Signature of Date

Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

No securities are beneficially owned

- \* 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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