Turning Point Brands, Inc.

Form 4

February 09, 2017

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Baxter Gregory H.A.

(Last)

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

853 SEVENTH AVENUE, APT. 5E

(Street)

(State)

NEW YORK, NY 10019

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Turning Point Brands, Inc. [TPB]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/07/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

> (A) or

Code V Amount (D) Price

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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

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

1. Title of Derivative Conversion Security or Exercise (Instr. 3) Price of

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

5. Number of 4. TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A)

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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	Derivative Security				or Dis (D) (Instr. and 5)					
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.06	02/07/2017	D			23,630	<u>(1)</u>	09/18/2017	Common Stock	23,630

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Baxter Gregory H.A. 853 SEVENTH AVENUE, APT. 5E NEW YORK, NY 10019

Signatures

/s/ Gregory H.A. 02/09/2017 Baxter

***Signature of Reporting Date

Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(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).
- The options vested and became exercisable as to 50% of the underlying shares on September 18, 2007, 16.66% of the underlying shares on January 1, 2008, 16.66% of the underlying shares on January 10, 2010.
- (2) The options were canceled by mutual agreement of the reporting person and Turning Point Brands, Inc. The reporting person received \$283,323.70 as consideration for the cancellation.

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