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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

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**Form 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT  
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d)  
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): April 27, 2018**

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**Potbelly Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Commission File Number: 001-36104**

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**36-4466837**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**111 N. Canal Street, Suite 850**  
**Chicago, Illinois 60606**  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

**(312) 951-0600**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**Not Applicable**  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§ 230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§ 240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

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**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

Carl Warschausky, a member of the Board of Directors (the “Board”) of Potbelly Corporation (“Potbelly”) and the Chair of the Audit Committee of the Board, resigned from the Board effective as of April 27, 2018. Mr. Warschausky’s resignation is not related to any disagreement with Potbelly or with Potbelly’s operations, policies, or practices. The Board has selected Susan Chapman-Hughes to serve as Chair of the Board’s Audit Committee. Ms. Chapman-Hughes has been a member of the Board since 2014. Effective upon Mr. Warschausky’s resignation as a director, the size of Potbelly’s Board was reduced from ten to nine directors.

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: April 30, 2018

**Potbelly Corporation**

By: /s/ Michael Coyne

Name: Michael Coyne

Title: Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer