DUNKIN' BRANDS GROUP, INC. Form SC 13G/A February 10, 2017

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

> > SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No.5)\*

DUNKIN' BRANDS GROUP, INC.

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(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock

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(Title of Class of Securities)

265504100

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(CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2016

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(Date Of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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	Morgan Sta I.R.S. # 3		5972							
2.	CHECK THE	APPRC	PRIATE BOX	K IF A MEMBE	R OF A GROUP:					
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11.	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9): 4.8%									
12.	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON: HC, CO									
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	Morgan Sta I.R.S. #13			Management	Inc.					
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#### (a) [] (b) [ ] \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ 3. SEC USE ONLY: \_\_\_\_\_ 4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION: The state of organization is Delaware. \_\_\_\_\_ NUMBER OF 5. SOLE VOTING POWER: 3,611,619 SHARES BENEFICIALLY \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ OWNED BY 6. SHARED VOTING POWER: EACH 0 REPORTING \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ PERSON 7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER: 0 WITH: \_\_\_\_\_ 8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER: 4,483,727 \_\_\_\_\_ 9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON: 4,483,727 \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ 10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES: [] \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ 11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9): 4.8% \_\_\_\_\_ 12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON: IA, CO \_\_\_\_\_ CUSIP No. 265504100 13G Page 4 of 8 Pages ------\_\_\_\_\_ Item 1. (a) Name of Issuer: DUNKIN' BRANDS GROUP, INC. \_\_\_\_\_ (b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices: 130 ROYALL STREET CANTON MA 02021 United States \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ Item 2. (a) Name of Person Filing: (1) Morgan Stanley (2) Morgan Stanley Investment Management Inc. \_\_\_\_\_ (b) Address of Principal Business Office, or if None, Residence: (1) 1585 Broadway New York, NY 10036

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		(2	) 1585 Broadway New York, NY 10036					
	(C)	Ci	tizenship:	_				
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	(d)	Ti	tle of Class of Securities:					
		Co	mmon Stock					
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3.			statement is filed pursuant to Sections 240.13d-1(b) or 2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:					
	(a)	[]	Broker or dealer registered under Section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780).					
	(b)	[]	Bank as defined in Section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).					
	(c)	[]	Insurance company as defined in Section 3(a)(19) of the Ac (15 U.S.C. 78c).	t				
	(d)	[]	Investment company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8).					
	(e)	[x]	An investment adviser in accordance with Sections 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);					
	(f)	[]	An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with Section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);					
	(g)	[x]	A parent holding company or control person in accordance with Section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);					
	(h)	[]	A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);					
	(i)	[]	A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under Section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);					
	(j)	[]	Group, in accordance with Section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).					
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4.	Owner	ship	as of December 31, 2016.*					
			t beneficially owned: esponse(s) to Item 9 on the attached cover page(s).					

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(b) Percent of Class: See the response(s) to Item 11 on the attached cover page(s).

- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
  - (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote: See the response(s) to Item 5 on the attached cover page(s).
  - (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote: See the response(s) to Item 6 on the attached cover page(s).
  - (iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: See the response(s) to Item 7 on the attached cover page(s).
  - (iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: See the response(s) to Item 8 on the attached cover page(s).
- Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class. Ttem 5.
  - (1) As of the date hereof, Morgan Stanley has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities.
  - (2) As of the date hereof, Morgan Stanley Investment Management Inc. has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities.
- Item 6. Ownership of More Than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Not Applicable

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company.

See Exhibit 99.2

Identification and Classification of Members of the Group. Ttem 8.

Not Applicable

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not Applicable

Item 10. Certification.

> By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

\* In Accordance with the Securities and Exchange Commission Release No. 34-39538 (January 12, 1998) (the "Release"), this filing reflects the securities beneficially owned, or that may be deemed to be beneficially owned, by certain operating units (collectively, the "MS Reporting Units") of Morgan Stanley and its subsidiaries and affiliates (collectively, "MS"). This filing does not reflect securities, if any, beneficially owned by any operating units of MS whose ownership of securities is disaggregated from that of the MS Reporting Units in accordance with the Release.

#### Signature

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After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

- Date: February 10, 2017
- Signature: /s/ Cesar Coy
- Date: February 10, 2017
- Signature: /s/ Stefanie Chang Yu
- Name/Title: Stefanie Chang Yu/Authorized Signatory, Morgan Stanley Investment Management Inc. Morgan Stanley Investment Management Inc.

EXHIBIT NO.EXHIBITSPAGE99.1Joint Filing Agreement799.2Item 7 Information8

\* Attention. Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations (see 18 U.S.C. 1001).

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EXHIBIT NO. 99.1 TO SCHEDULE 13G JOINT FILING AGREEMENT

### February 10, 2017

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MORGAN STANLEY and Morgan Stanley Investment Management Inc. hereby agree that, unless differentiated, this Schedule 13G is filed on behalf of each of the parties.

MORGAN STANLEY

BY: /s/ Cesar Coy Cesar Coy/Authorized Signatory, Morgan Stanley Morgan Stanley Investment Management Inc. BY: /s/ Stefanie Chang Yu Stefanie Chang Yu/Authorized Signatory, Morgan Stanley Investment Management Inc.

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EXHIBIT NO. 99.2

ITEM 7 INFORMATION

The securities being reported on by Morgan Stanley as a parent holding company are owned, or may be deemed to be beneficially owned, by Morgan Stanley Investment Management Inc., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Morgan Stanley.