

CHECKERS DRIVE IN RESTAURANTS INC /DE  
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**FORM 4**

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 CHRISTENSEN TERRY N

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 CHECKERS DRIVE IN RESTAURANTS INC /DE [CHKR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 10250 CONSTELLATION BLVD.,  
 19TH FL., 19TH FLOOR  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/10/2005

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

LOS ANGELES, CA 90067

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	02/10/2005		M		13,141	A	\$ 1.9375
Common Stock	02/10/2005		S		8,000	D	\$ 14.5
Common Stock	02/10/2005		S		5,141	D	\$ 14.51
Common Stock	02/11/2005		M		2,000	A	\$ 1.9375
Common Stock	02/11/2005		S		1,066	D	\$ 14.65

Common Stock	02/11/2005	S	434	D	\$ 14.85	15,007	D
Common Stock	02/14/2005	S	500	D	\$ 14.94	14,507	D

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 Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.9375	02/10/2005		M	13,141	04/10/2000 04/10/2000		Common Stock	15,141
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.9375	02/11/2005		M	2,000	04/10/2000 04/10/2000		Common Stock	2,000

## Reporting Owners

**Reporting Owner Name / Address**

**Relationships**

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

CHRISTENSEN TERRY N  
10250 CONSTELLATION BLVD., 19TH FL.  
19TH FLOOR  
LOS ANGELES, CA 90067

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## Signatures

Brian R. Doster,  
Attorney-in-Fact

02/14/2005

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## 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).

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