

TAIWAN GREATER CHINA FUND  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
LAXEY PARTNERS LTD

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
TAIWAN GREATER CHINA FUND [TFC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

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

See Explanation of Responses

SUMMERHILL THE OLD CHAPEL

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

\_\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 X  Form filed by More than 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	11/26/2004		S		5,000	D	\$ 4.56
							577,119
							D <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	12/01/2004		S		50,000	D	\$ 4.57
							527,119
							D <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	02/18/2005		S		66,000	D	\$ 5.05
							352,160
							D <u>(2)</u>
	02/18/2005		S		74,500	D	
							395,548
							D <u>(3)</u>

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01					\$ 5.05		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	02/18/2005	S	92,000	D	\$ 5.05	492,290	D <u>(4)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	02/18/2005	S	83,500	D	\$ 5.05	443,619	D <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	02/18/2005	S	91,000	D	\$ 5.05	483,880	D <u>(5)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	02/18/2005	S	93,000	D	\$ 5.05	495,054	D <u>(6)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	02/23/2005	S	66,130	D	\$ 5.08	286,030	D <u>(2)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	02/23/2005	S	74,280	D	\$ 5.08	321,268	D <u>(3)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	02/23/2005	S	92,450	D	\$ 5.08	399,840	D <u>(4)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	02/23/2005	S	83,300	D	\$ 5.08	360,319	D <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	02/23/2005	S	90,870	D	\$ 5.08	393,010	D <u>(5)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	02/23/2005	S	92,970	D	\$ 5.08	402,084	D <u>(6)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	02/28/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 5.1	401,084	D <u>(6)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	03/04/2005	S	2,500	D	\$ 5.13	397,340	D <u>(4)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	03/04/2005	S	2,500	D	\$ 5.13	357,819	D <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock, par	03/04/2005	S	2,500	D	\$ 5.13	390,510	D <u>(5)</u>

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value \$0.01

Common Stock, par value \$0.01	03/04/2005	S	2,500	D	\$ 5.13	398,584	D <u>(6)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	03/07/2005	S	2,825	D	\$ 5.15	394,515	D <u>(4)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	03/07/2005	S	2,825	D	\$ 5.15	354,994	D <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	03/07/2005	S	2,825	D	\$ 5.15	387,685	D <u>(5)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	03/07/2005	S	2,825	D	\$ 5.15	395,759	D <u>(6)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	03/08/2005	S	1,625	D	\$ 5.17	392,890	D <u>(4)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	03/08/2005	S	1,625	D	\$ 5.17	353,369	D <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	03/08/2005	S	1,625	D	\$ 5.17	386,060	D <u>(5)</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	03/08/2005	S	1,625	D	\$ 5.17	394,134	D <u>(6)</u>

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)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
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(Instr. 3,  
4, and 5)

	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Code V (A) (D)				

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LAXEY PARTNERS LTD SUMMERHILL THE OLD CHAPEL ONCHAN ISLE OF MAN, X0 IM3 1NA				See Explanation of Responses
LAXEY INVESTORS LTD  D8				See explanation of responses
LAXEY UNIVERSAL VALUE LP  X1				See explanation of responses
LAXEY INVESTORS LP  X1				See explanation of responses
LP VALUE LTD  D8				See explanation of responses
VALUE CATALYST FUND LTD  E9				See explanation of responses

## Signatures

Chris Bruce, Laxey Partners	04/27/2005
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Andrew Pegge, Laxey Investors Limited	04/27/2005
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Chris Bruce, Laxey Universal Value, LP	04/27/2005
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Chris Bruce, Laxey Investors L.P.	04/27/2005
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Chris Bruce, LP Value Limited	04/27/2005
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Elizabeth Tansell, The Value Catalyst Fund Ltd	04/27/2005

\_\_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).
- (1) These shares are beneficially owned by LUV.
- (2) These shares are beneficially owned by LIL.
- (3) These shares are beneficially owned by LILP.
- (4) These shares are beneficially owned by LPV.
- (5) These shares are beneficially owned by various unaffiliated third parties within various third party discretionary accounts managed by Laxey.
- (6) These shares are beneficially owned by Catalyst.

### Remarks:

This statement is being filed jointly by (i) Laxey Partners Limited, an Isle of Man company ("Laxey"), (ii) The Value Catalyst

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