

CHECKERS DRIVE IN RESTAURANTS INC /DE  
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**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 \*  
 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)  
 4300 WEST CYPRESS STREET,  
 SUITE 600  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/07/2005

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

TAMPA, FL 33607

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	02/07/2005		M		14,459	A	\$ 1.9375
Common Stock	02/07/2005		S		459	D	\$ 14.7
Common Stock	02/07/2005		S		1,000	D	\$ 14.53
Common Stock	02/07/2005		S		13,000	D	\$ 14.5
Common Stock	02/08/2005		M		2,400	A	\$ 1.9375
							28,966
							28,507
							27,507
							14,507
							16,907

Common Stock	02/08/2005	S	2,100	D	\$ 14.7	14,807	D
Common Stock	02/08/2005	S	200	D	\$ 14.71	14,607	D
Common Stock	02/08/2005	S	100	D	\$ 14.8	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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.9375	02/07/2005		M	14,459	04/10/2000	04/10/2010	Common Stock	38,800
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.9375	02/08/2005		M	2,400	04/10/2000	04/20/2010	Commn Stock	24,341

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CHRISTENSEN TERRY N 4300 WEST CYPRESS STREET, SUITE 600 TAMPA, FL 33607	X			

## Signatures

Brian R. Doster,  
Attorney-in-Fact

02/09/2005

\_\_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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