

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 *
WILLIE DAVIS

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)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 05/27/2005

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

CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC., 4300 WEST CYPRESS STREET

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

TAMPA, FL 33607

(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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Common Stock	05/27/2005		M	A	22,118	\$ 1,9375	D
Common Stock	05/27/2005		M	A	1,667	\$ 3.9375	D
Common Stock	05/27/2005		M	A	1,667	\$ 6.42	D
Common Stock	05/27/2005		M	A	25,000	\$ 6.4	D
	05/27/2005		M	A	1,667	\$ 6.26	D

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Common
Stock

Common Stock 05/27/2005 M 34,875 A \$ 9.63 127,364 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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.9375	05/27/2005		M	22,118	04/10/2000 04/10/2010	Common Stock	22,118	
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.9375	05/27/2005		M	1,667	01/02/2001 01/02/2011	Common Stock	1,667	
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.42	05/27/2005		M	1,667	01/02/2002 01/02/2012	Common Stock	1,667	
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.4	05/27/2005		M	25,000	02/19/2002 02/19/2012	Common Stock	25,000	
Director Stock Option	\$ 6.26	05/27/2005		M	1,667	12/31/2002 12/31/2012	Common Stock	1,667	

(Right to Buy)

Director Stock

Option	\$ 9.63	05/27/2005		M	34,875	08/21/2003	08/21/2013	Common Stock	40,000
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(Right to Buy)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WILLIE DAVIS
 CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC. X
 4300 WEST CYPRESS STREET
 TAMPA, FL 33607

Signatures

Leanna J. Gerken, as
 Attorney-in-Fact 05/31/2005

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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