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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addres BAEDEKER			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CHURCHILL DOWNS INC</u> [CHDN]		ationship of Reporting (all applicable) Director Officer (give title		n(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify
(Last) 1050 SO. PRAIM	(EIIST) (MIDDIE)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/25/2005		below) see remar		below)
(Street) INGLEWOOD			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicab Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Person		

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)	Code (ransaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ode (Instr.			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, no par value	08/25/2005		М		5,000	A	\$27.23	6,574	D	
Common Stock, no par value	08/25/2005		S		5,000	D	\$40.0842	1,574	D	

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. Transa Code (8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$27.23	08/25/2005		М			5,000	11/14/2004	11/13/2011	Common Stock	5,000	\$0	6,102	D	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

President, Churchill Downs California Company

/s/ Frederick M. Baedeker, Jr. 08/26/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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