FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person CHURCHILL DOWNS Inc [CHDN] <u>Carstanjen William C</u> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) (Last) (First) (Middle) **Chief Executive Officer** 02/15/2018 600 N. HURSTBOURNE PKWY **SUITE 400** 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable (Street) X Form filed by One Reporting Person 40222 LOUISVILLE KY Form filed by More than One Reporting (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature **Execution Date** Transaction Securities Form: Direct of Indirect if any (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Owned Following (I) (Instr. 4) 8) Ownership Reported (Instr. 4) (A) or (D) Transaction(s) Code ν Amount Price (Instr. 3 and 4) Common Stock 02/28/2018 22,765(1) \$258.2 163,542.4951 D A A Common Stock 02/28/2018 \$0.0000 152,887.4951 10,655 D D Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 1. Title of 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and 8. Price of 9. Number of 10. 11. Nature Derivative Conversion Execution Date Transaction xpiration Date Amount of Ownership Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Security or Exercise if anv Code (Instr. (Month/Day/Year) Securities Security Securities Form: Beneficial Direct (D) (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) Price of 8) Securities Underlying (Instr. 5) Beneficially Ownership Acquired Derivative Security Derivative Owned or Indirect (Instr. 4) Following Security (A) or Disposed (Instr. 3 and 4) (I) (Instr. 4) Reported of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) and 5) Amount Number Date Expiration v (A) (D) Exercisable Title Shares Restricted Commor

Explanation of Responses:

Stock

Units

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- 1. Represents the settlement of performance share units with respect to the performance period July 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017.
- 2. Restricted stock units do not have a conversion price or expiration date and will be settled in common stock vesting in one-third increments on each of December 31, 2018, December 31, 2019, and December 31, 2020.

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** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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

02/15/2018

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