FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>RICHARDSON DONALD R</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHURCHILL DOWNS INC [ CHDN ]									Check all ap Dire	plicable) ector	10% (	Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 700 CENTRAL AVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/18/2004									^ belo	,		Other (specify below)  ident, Racing		
(Street) LOUISVILLE KY 40208 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Ta	able I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Disp	osed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ally Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D					Execution I		n Date,	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)				nd Secu Bene	ities icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount (A) or (D)			Price	Trans	action(s) . 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, no par value 11/18					3/2004			A		741		A \$0		0	2,280	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)	Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of E		Expiration	s. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	of Sha	nber res							

**Explanation of Responses:** 

/s/ Donald R. Richardson

11/18/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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