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>Carstanjen William C</u>							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHURCHILL DOWNS INC [CHDN]									Check all a		1	10% Owner Other (specify below)		
(Last) 700 CEN	(Last) (First) (Middle) 700 CENTRAL AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/05/2005										ow)				
(Street) LOUISV (City)		CY State)		.0208 Zip)		4. If											Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable le) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)							Execution Date,		Code (Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)					nd Seci Ben Owr	nount of irities eficially ed Following orted	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Common Stock, no par value 07/05.							/2005					5,500)	Α	\$	0	5,500				
Common Stock, no par value 07/0						5/2005				A		5,500	(1)	Α	\$	0	11,000(1)				
	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	Date	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemo Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	Code (Instr.		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		tr. 3	8. Price o Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Ins	(D)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

1. As part of Mr. Carstanjen's Employment Agreement effective July 5, 2005, he shall be awarded no less than 5,500 shares of Restricted Stock in November 2005 as part of the annual long-term incentive awards to key executives.

Remarks:

Executive Vice President, Chief Development Officer & General Counsel

/s/William C. Carstanjen 07/06/2005

** 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).
- ** 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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