FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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					or S	section	30(h)	of the	Investm	ent Co	ompany Act o	of 1940								
						. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CHURCHILL DOWNS INC [ CHDN ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
														2	X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 845 LARCH AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/19/2009									Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)					
(Street) ELMHURST IL 60126				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     Form filed by One Reporting Person     Y     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(51		Zip)		<u>.</u>		-,													
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Date						2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a 5)			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	)	Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock <sup>(1)</sup>														154	,787		I	By 845 Larch Acquisition Corp LLC	
Common	Stock <sup>(2)</sup>														3,150	0,000		I	By The Duchossois Group, Inc.	
Common Stock 0			03/19/2	03/19/2009				P		4,140	A	\$28	3.97	80,562				by RLD Revocable Trust		
Common Stock 03			03/20/2	)/2009				P		5,000	A	\$28	3.83	85,562		I		by RLD Revocable Trust		
		Ta	able II -								osed of, convertib				Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	title of 2. 3. Transaction Date Execution (Month/Day/Year) if any		emed on Date,	ned 4. n Date, Transac Code (Ir		5. Number of			Exercion Da	isable and te 7. Title and Amount o		and nt of ties ying tive	8. D S. (II	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4		Beneficial Ownership		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares	er						
		Reporting Person* RICHARD L																		

## (First) (Middle) (Last) 845 LARCH AVENUE (Street) ELMHURST IL60126 (City) (State) (Zip) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\* 845 Larch Acquisition Corp LLC (Last) (First) (Middle) 845 LARCH AVENUE

(Street) ELMHURST	IL	60126					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. This form is a joint filing by 845 Larch Acquistion Corp LLC (the "Purchaser") and Richard L. Duchossois. The shares of common stock of Churchill Downs Incorporated (the "Issuer") that are the subject of this report were acquired by the Purchaser on the open market. Richard L. Duchossois, by virtue of his relationship with the Purchaser, may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of the Issuer that are held by the Purchaser. Richard L. Duchossois disclaims benefical ownership with respect to the shares of common stock of the Issuer held by the Purchaser, except with respect to the pecuniary interest in such shares attributable to him by virtue of his equity interest in the Purchaser.

2. Reflects shares of common stock of the Issuer that are owned directly by Duchossois Industries, Inc. ("DII"). Richard L. Duchossois, by virtue of his relationship with DII, may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of the Issuer that DII may be deemed to beneficially own. Purchaser disclaims beneficial ownership with respect to the shares of common stock of the Issuer held by DII.

/s/ Eric A. Reeves, attorney-infact for Richard L. Duchossois 03/23/2009

/s/ Colleen M O'connor, Vice

President and Treasurer of 845 03/23/2009

Larch Acquisition Corp LLC

\*\* 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).
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