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FORM 4

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Washington, D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Rankin R Alex				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CHURCHILL DOWNS INC</u> [CHDN]						tionship of Reportin all applicable) Director	Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		
(Last) 700 CENTRAL	(First) AVENUE	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/15/2012						Officer (give title below)	Other below	(specify)	
(Street) LOUISVILLE (City)	KY (State)	40208 (Zip)	4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable 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												
Date			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y	Execution Date, Transacti						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 Pr		Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
	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)		Derivative		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	Form: Direct (D)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Restricted Stock	(1)	06/15/2012		Α		423.08 ⁽²⁾		(1)	(1)	Common Stock	423.08	\$59.09	1,807.699	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Generally this stock does not have a conversion price, exercisable date or an expiration date.

2. Deferred compensation in the form of restricted units entitling the recipient to the future issuance of an equivalent number of shares of Common Stock.

<u>/s/ R. Alex Rankin</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person

06/15/2012

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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