FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

CHURCHILL DOWNS INC [CHDN]

SCHMITT KARL F JR						CHURCHILL DOWNS INC [CHDN]									Directo	-	10% Owner Other (specify		
(Last) 700 CEN	Last) (First) (Middle) 00 CENTRAL AVENUE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/05/2006									below)		rial Pr	below)	peony
(Street)	TLLE K	KY 40208			4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)) 【 Form f	iled by One	p Filing (Check Applicate Reporting Person re than One Reporting		n
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)												Person				
		Tab	le I - Noi	n-Deri	vative	Sec	curiti	ies Ad	quired,	Dis	posed c	of, or B	enef	iciall	y Owned	i			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Trans Date (Month)		ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			A) or , 4 and		es ally Following	Form:	Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
(Last) 700 CENTI (Street) LOUISVIL (City) 1. Title of Sec Common St Common St Common St Common St Common St Employee Stock Option (right to buy) Employee Stock Option (right to buy) Employee									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or F	rice	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock, no p	oar value		05/0	5/2006	5			M		2,575	5 <i>A</i>	. !	\$19.25	5,813		3 D		
Common Stock, no par value				05/05/2006					M		3,000	,000 A		\$17.5	8,	8,813		D	
Common Stock, no par value			05/05/2006		5			M		2,320) <i>A</i>		\$21.5	11,133		D			
Common	Stock, no p	oar value		05/0	5/2006	5			S ⁽¹⁾		7,895			\$40	3,	238		D	
		T							uired, D s, option						Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of l		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		urity	3. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Owners Form: Ily Direct (I or Indire (I) (Instr	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership tt (Instr. 4)
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Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$19.25	05/05/2006			M			2,575	06/03/1999	0	6/02/2006	Commo Stock	2,	575	\$0	0		D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$17.5	05/05/2006			М			3,000	12/18/1999	1	2/17/2006	Commo Stock	3,	000	\$0	0		D	
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$21.5	05/05/2006			М			2,320	11/20/2000	1	1/19/2007	Commo	2,	320	\$0	0		D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. This transaction occurred pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 29, 2006.

Remarks:

/s/ Karl F. Schmitt, Jr.

05/08/2006

** 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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