#### STEAK & SHAKE CO

Form 4

February 21, 2007

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading RISK J FRED Issuer Symbol STEAK & SHAKE CO [SNS] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title 7801 N. PENNSYLVANIA ST. 02/20/2007 below) (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

**INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46240** 

(State)

(Zip)

(City)

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3.	4. Securi			5. Amount of	6. Ownership	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	<i>'</i>	Transactio		` ′		Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	,	1	Beneficially Owned	(D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial Ownership
		(Month/Day/Tear)	(IIIsu. o)	(msu. 3,	4 and	3)	Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
							Reported	(Instr. 1)	(IIIstr. 1)
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/20/2007		S	2,300	D	\$ 18	85,158	D	
Common Stock							723	I	Held by Mr. Risk's

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

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# 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option	\$ 18.26					02/09/2005(1)	11/17/2009(1)	Common Stock	5,000
Option	\$ 19.22					11/08/2005(2)	11/08/2010(2)	Common Stock	5,000
Option	\$ 17.98					11/12/2003	11/12/2008(2)	Common Stock	5,000
Option	\$ 17.72					02/06/2008(3)	02/06/2012(3)	Common Stock	5,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
RISK J FRED 7801 N. PENNSYLVANIA ST. INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46240	X					

## **Signatures**

David C. Milne; Attorney-in-fact 02/20/2007

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) These options were conditionally granted on 11-17-04, subject to shareholder approval on 2-9-05. 20% vested on the date of shareholder approval and an additional 20% vest on each anniversary of the conditional grant date.
- (2) These Options vest at a rate of 20% on date of grant and 20% each anniversary thereafter until fully vested.
- (3) These options vest at a rate of 25% on the first anniversary of the grant and an equal amount each year thereafter until fully vested. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

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