STEAK & SHAKE CO Form 4

April 24, 2007

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Murrill Thomas F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

STEAK & SHAKE CO [SNS]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

Common

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

36 S. PENNSYLVANIA, SUITE 500 04/23/2007

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

SVP, Human Resources

below) below)

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

6,400

Code V Amount

(1)

A

(D) Price 6,400

D

04/23/2007 Stock

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

A

\$0

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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	1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable	le and Expiration	7. Title and A	Amour
	Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionDerivative		Date		Underlying Securit	
	Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and	4)
((Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A)				
		Derivative				or Disposed of				
		Security				(D)				
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	Option	\$ 16.84	04/23/2007		A	10.200	04/23/2008(2)	04/23/2017(2)	Common	10.3

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Murrill Thomas F 36 S. PENNSYLVANIA SUITE 500

INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204

SVP, Human Resources

Stock

Signatures

David C. Milne, Attorney
In Fact

04/24/2007

**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 shares were granted to Mr. Murrill under the Company's Capital Appreciation Plan, an employee benefit plan under Section 16(b)(3) that was approved by the Company's shareholders.
- (2) These Options vest at a rate of 25% per year beginning on the first anniversary of the grant.

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