STEAK & SHAKE CO Form 4

May 11, 2007

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **GEIGER DUANE** 

(First)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

STEAK & SHAKE CO [SNS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

36 S. PENNSYLVANIA, SUITE 500 05/11/2007

(Middle)

(Zin)

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

below) VP, Controller

(Street) 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

Issuer

#### **INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204**

(City)	(State) (	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqı	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	` ′	spose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Beneficially Owned Following Reported	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/11/2007		F	6,982	D	\$ 16.22	25,658	D	
Common Stock	05/11/2007		M	7,500	A	\$ 15.1	33,158	D	

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

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# $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Numb orDerivati Securitie Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	ve es d (A) or d of (D)	6. Date Exercisab Date (Month/Day/Year	•	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and A	Secu
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ar or Nu of Sh
Option	\$ 19.75						09/14/2005(1)	09/14/2010(1)	Common Stock	4
Option	\$ 17.47						02/08/2007(2)	02/08/2016(2)	Common Stock	7
Option	\$ 20.45						04/07/2006(3)	04/07/2011(3)	Common Stock	1
Option	\$ 17.17						09/29/2006(3)	09/29/2011(3)	Common Stock	4
Option	\$ 15.1	05/11/2007		M		7,500	06/21/2002(1)	06/21/2007(1)	Common Stock	7
Option	\$ 17.72						02/06/2008(2)	02/07/2018	Common Stock	7
Option	\$ 16.22	05/11/2007		A	6,982		05/11/2007(3)	05/11/2012(3)	Common Stock	6

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GEIGER DUANE 36 S. PENNSYLVANIA SUITE 500 INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204			VP, Controller				

Date

# **Signatures**

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

David C. Milne, Attorney	05/11/2007
in Fact	03/11/2007

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- \* 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 vest 20% on the date of grant and 20% each anniversary thereof until fully vested.
- (2) These options vest over a five-year period, with 25% vesting on the first anniversary of the date of grant and the remainder vesting on subsequent anniversaries.
- (3) These are "reload" options which are granted pursuant to the Company's Employee Stock Option Plan. They vest immediately and have a 5-year term.

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