Texas Roadhouse, Inc. Form 4 January 07, 2013

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

PARKER JAMES F Issuer Symbol Texas Roadhouse, Inc. [TXRH] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify C/O TEXAS ROADHOUSE. 01/07/2013 below) INC., 6040 DUTCHMANS LANE (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

LOUISVILLE, KY 40205

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of TransactionAcquired (A) or Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 8,500 01/07/2013 M \$0 49,560 D (1) Stock

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Secu Acqu (A) o Disp (D)	urities uired or posed of tr. 3, 4,	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 to Purchase	\$ 11.2						10/08/2005	10/08/2014	Common Stock	13,332
Option to Purchase	\$ 11.2						10/08/2006	10/08/2014	Common Stock	13,334
Option to Purchase	\$ 11.2						10/08/2007	10/08/2014	Common Stock	13,334
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	01/07/2013		M		8,500	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	8,500
Restricted Stock Units	(2)						<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	8,500
Restricted Stock Units	(2)						<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	8,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships						
1 0	rector	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
PARKER JAMES F C/O TEXAS ROADHOUSE, INC. 6040 DUTCHMANS LANE LOUISVILLE, KY 40205	X							

Signatures

/s/ Celia Catlett, by Power of
Attorney 01/07/2013

**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) Represents restricted stock units which are fully vested on the transaction date.

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- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a conditional right to receive one share of the Company's Common Stock.
- (3) The restricted stock units vested on January 7, 2013. Delivery of the shares to the reporting person occurred on January 7, 2013.
- The restricted stock units vest on January 7, 2014. Delivery of the shares to the reporting person will occur on January 7, 2014, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Company.
- (5) The restricted stock units vest on January 7, 2015. Delivery of the shares to the reporting person will occur on January 7, 2015, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Company.

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