SAUL CENTERS INC

Form 4

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

CARACI PHILIP D			Symbol					Issuer			
			SAUL CENTERS INC [BFS]					(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check an applicable)			
7501 WHO		TD 15771		Day/Year)				_X_ Director 10% Owner			
7501 WISO FLOOR	CONSIN AVENU	E, 15TH	09/23/2008					Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
FLOOK											
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Mo	onth/Day/Ye	ar)			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
BETHESD						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-	-Derivativ	e Seci	urities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	cially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. Secur. or(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Shares				Couc ,	rimount	(2)	71100	3,119.136 <u>(6)</u>	I	Wifes-IRA	
Common Shares								51,116	D (1)		
Common Shares								49,017.087 (7)	I	Wifes-Trust	
Series B Preferred Stock								2,000	I	Wifes- Trust	
Common Shares	09/23/2008			M	2,500	A	\$ 25.78	39,161.633 (5) (8)	I	Self-Trust	

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Common Shares	09/23/2008	S	2,500	D	\$ 50	36,661.633 (5)	I	Self-Trust
Common Shares	09/23/2008	M	2,500	A	\$ 33.22	39,161.633 (5)	I	Self-Trust
Common Shares	09/23/2008	S	2,500	D	\$ 50	36,661.633 (5)	I	Self-Trust

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction Derivative Code Securities		(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
Stock Option	\$ 25.78	09/23/2008		M		2,500	04/26/2004	04/26/2014	Common Stock	2,500
Stock Option	\$ 33.22	09/23/2008		M		2,500	05/06/2005	05/06/2015	Common Stock	2,500
Phantom Stock (4)	\$ 48.35 (2)						<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	153.051
Stock Option	\$ 40.35						05/01/2006	05/06/2016	Common Stock	2,500
Stock Option	\$ 54.17						04/27/2007	04/27/2017	Common Stock	2,500
Stock Option	\$ 50.15						04/25/2008	04/25/2018	Common Stock	2,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Othe			

X

2 Reporting Owners

CARACI PHILIP D 7501 WISCONSIN AVENUE 15TH FLOOR BETHESDA, MD 20814

Signatures

Scott V. Schneider, by Power of Attorney

09/24/2008

**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) Self-IRA
- (2) 1 for 1
- (3) Under the terms of the reporting person's Deferred Fee Agreement, payment of shares of the issuer's common stock commences at such time as the reporting person ceases to be a director of the issuer. Payment will be a lump sum upon termination of directorship.
 - Pursuant to the issuer's Deferred Compensation Plan under its 2004 Stock Plan and the Deferred Fee Agreement executed by the reporting person, the reporting person has elected to defer receipt of his director's fees, and receive phantom stock, the amount of which is
- calculated as the quotient of the dollar value of fees deferred, divided by the fair market value of the issuer's shares on the date the phantom stock is received.
- (5) Self-Trust. Reporting person is a Trustee.
- (6) Balance increased by July 31, 2008 Dividend Reinvestment Plan award of 31.027 shares.
- (7) Balance increased by July 31, 2008 Dividend Reinvestment Plan award of 35.464 shares.
- (8) Balance increased by July 31, 2008 Dividend Reinvestment Plan award of 17.404 shares.

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