

LONE STAR STEAKHOUSE & SALOON INC
 Form 4
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 AARON GERALD T

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 LONE STAR STEAKHOUSE & SALOON INC [STAR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 224 EAST DOUGLAS, SUITE 700
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 05/16/2006

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Senior Vice President, Counsel

WICHITA, KS 672023413

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 05/16/2006 | | M | | 10,000 | A | \$ 8.4687 (1) 72,707 |
| Common Stock | 05/16/2006 | | S | | 10,000 | D | \$ 28.0002 62,707 |
| Common Stock | 05/17/2006 | | M | | 10,000 | A | \$ 8.4687 (1) 72,707 |
| Common Stock | 05/17/2006 | | S | | 10,000 | D | \$ 27.5963 62,707 |

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) | 5. Number 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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 8.4687 ⁽¹⁾ | 05/16/2006 | | M | 10,000 | ⁽²⁾ 01/03/2007 | Common Stock | 10,000 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 8.4687 ⁽¹⁾ | 05/17/2006 | | M | 10,000 | ⁽²⁾ 01/03/2007 | Common Stock | 10,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| AARON GERALD T 224 EAST DOUGLAS, SUITE 700 WICHITA, KS 672023413 | | | Senior Vice President, Counsel | |

Signatures

/s/ Aaron,
Gerald T. 05/18/2006

**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) The Form 4 filing software only allows for numbers to be expressed up to four decimal places. The actual exercise price of the stock options is \$8.46875.
- (2)

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One third of the options became exercisable on January 3, 1998. One third of the options became exercisable on January 3, 1999. The remainder of the options became exercisable on January 3, 2000.

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