STEAK & SHAKE CO

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **REINWALD GARY**

(First)

(State)

02/20/2007

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

STEAK & SHAKE CO [SNS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

36 S. PENNSYLVANIA, SUITE 500 02/20/2007

(Middle)

(Zip)

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

below) below) **EVP**

(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

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) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (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)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price 5,000

62,497

17.91

D

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) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisab 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 | \$ 17.14 | | | | | 08/04/2004(1) | 08/04/2009(1) | Common Stock | 16,000 |
| Option | \$ 19.75 | | | | | 09/14/2005(1) | 09/14/2010(1) | Common Stock | 7,400 |
| Option | \$ 17.47 | | | | | 02/08/2007(2) | 02/08/2016(2) | Common Stock | 11,500 |
| Option | \$ 17.17 | | | | | 09/29/2006(3) | 09/29/2011(3) | Common Stock | 9,225 |
| Option | \$ 17.89 | | | | | 02/19/2007(3) | 02/19/2012(3) | Common Stock | 13,504 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| 1 8 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| REINWALD GARY | | | | | | |
| 36 S. PENNSYLVANIA | | | EVP | | | |
| SUITE 500 | | | EVP | | | |
| INDIANAPOLIS IN 46204 | | | | | | |

Signatures

David C. Milne, Attorney 02/20/2007 in fact

**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 options vest at a rate of 20% on the date of grant and 20% per anniversary thereafter until fully vested.
- (2) These Options vest over a five-year period, with 25% vesting on the first anniversary of the grant and the remainder vesting at a rate of 25% over the subsequent anniversaries until fully vested.
- (3) These "reload" options issued automatically upon Mr. Reinwald's use of owned shares as payment for the exercise of options granted to him under the Employee Stock Option plan, an employee benefit plan that was approved by the Company's shareholders. These options

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vest immediately and expire 5 years from the date of grant.

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