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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addi STUART SAN	•	ng Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	CHEROKEE INC [CHKE] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
6835 VALJEA	N AVE		(Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2005	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
	(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			
VAN NUYS, O	CA 91406			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit oper Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (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 Stock							36,666	D	
Common Stock	02/25/2005	02/25/2005	M	13,334	A	\$ 12.989	50,000	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)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common stock option	\$ 23.12					04/07/2005	04/07/2011	Common Stock	3,333
Common stock option	\$ 23.12					04/07/2006	04/07/2011	Common stock	3,333
Common stock option	\$ 23.12					04/07/2007	04/07/2011	Common stock	3,334
Common stock option	\$ 12.989					02/05/2005	02/05/2012	Common stock	13,334
Common stock option	\$ 12.989	02/25/2005	02/25/2005	M	13,334	02/05/2003	02/05/2012	Common stock	13,334

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Maine / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

STUART SANDI

6835 VALJEAN AVE Executive Vice President

VAN NUYS, CA 91406

Signatures

Russell J. Riopelle under POA for Sandi Stuart 04/06/2005

**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).

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Remarks:

On 2/25/2005 Ms. Stuart exercised 13,334 stock options to purchase CHKE common stock at an exercise price of \$12.989 per

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