**CHEROKEE INC** Form 4

January 06, 2006

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** MARGOLIS ROBERT	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Tra Symbol	ding 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Last) (First) (Middle)	CHEROKEE INC [CHKE] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)
6835 VALJEAN AVE	(Month/Day/Year) 01/05/2006	_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chairman and CEO
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
VAN NUYS, CA 91406	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Sec	urities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deer	ned 3. 4. Securities A	cquired (A) 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of
Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution	,	* *
(Instr. 3) any	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and	5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial

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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. Securiti on Dispose (Instr. 3, 4) Amount	ed of	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 794,733	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock							150,000	I	By Non-profit foundation
Common Stock	01/05/2006	01/05/2006	S	30,000	D	\$ 34.2	270,000	I	By The Newstar Group (1)
Common Stock	01/06/2006	01/06/2006	S	50,000	D	\$ 34.9067	220,000	I	By The Newstar Group (1)

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(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
<b>FB</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
MARGOLIS ROBERT 6835 VALJEAN AVE VAN NUYS, CA 91406	X	X	Chairman and CEO					

## **Signatures**

Russell J. Riopelle under POA for Robert
Margolis
01/06/2006

\*\*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).

#### **Remarks:**

(1) On January 5, 2006 Mr. Margolis sold 30,000 shares at an average price of \$34.20, and on January 6, 2006 Mr. Margolis sold Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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