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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Herman Gary L

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

below)

SHELLS SEAFOOD RESTAURANTS INC [SHLL]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

C/O ARCADIA SECURITIES, 720

(Street)

(State)

(First)

FIFTH AVE, 10TH FL

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

10/17/2007

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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

NEW YORK, NY 10019

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative Conversion

5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year	r)	(Instr. 3 and	4)
				Code V	/ (A) (D)) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Numbe of Shar
Stock Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 0.12	10/17/2007		A	20,000	10/17/2008(1)	10/17/2014	Common Stock, \$0.01 par per share	20,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting of the remaining remaining	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Herman Gary L C/O ARCADIA SECURITIES 720 FIFTH AVE, 10TH FL NEW YORK, NY 10019	X					

Signatures

Gary Herman 02/14/2008

**Signature of 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) Options will vest equally each month over one year.

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