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| UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION | | | | | | | | OMB Number: | 3235-036 | 62 | | |
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| See Instruction 1(b). Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Form 3 Holdings Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section Reported Form 4 Transactions Reported Reported | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Name and A Renschler So | ddress of Reporting F cott Arnold | Person <u>*</u> | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHOICE HOTELS INTERNATIONAL INC /DE [CHH] | | | | I | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | | (Month/Day/Year) | | | | _ | _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) | | | | |
| 8171 MAPL BLVD, SU | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. In Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | . Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line) | | | | | |
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| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table | e I - Non-Deri | vative Secu | ırities | Acqui | red, Disposed of | , or Beneficial | ly Owned | | |
| (Instr. 3) any | | Execution any | | 3. 4. Securities Acqui Transaction (A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) P | | of) | Securities Beneficially Owned at end | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Indirect Beneficial | | | |
| Common Stock | Â | Â | | Â | Â | Â | Â | 109,519 | I | See Footnote | | |

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| | Common Stock | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 3,678 | I | See Footnote |
| | Common Stock | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 120,849 | I | See Footnote (5) |
| | Common Stock | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 118,890 | I | See Footnote (6) |
| | Common Stock | 06/18/2008 | 06/18/2008 | J | 86,220 | D | \$0 | 0 | I | See Footnote (7) |
| | Common Stock | 05/01/2008 | 05/01/2008 | J | 3,190 | A | \$0 | 4,702 | D (8) | Â |
| | Common Stock | 11/06/2008 | 11/06/2008 | G | 844 | A | \$ 0 | 82,689 | I | See Footnote (1) (10) |
| | Common Stock | 11/06/2008 | 11/06/2008 | G | 1,660 | D | \$0 | 81,029 | I | See Footnote (1) (11) |
| Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. | | | | - | | | llection of info | | SEC 2270 (9-02) | |

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. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | ate | Secur | int of rlying | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. of D Se B O El Is Fi (I |
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| | | | | | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Renschler Scott Arnold 8171 MAPLE LAWN BLVD SUITE 375 FULTON, MDÂ 20759

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Signatures

Christine A. Shreve, Attorney-in-fact

02/03/2009

**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) Shares owned by the Scott Renschler Declaration of Trust ("Scott Trust") in which Dr. Renschler is the sole trustee and current beneficiary.
- (2) The proportionate interest of the Scott Trust in shares (7,135,738) owned by Realty Investment Company, Inc. ("Realty") a real estate investment and management company in which Dr. Renschler is a non-controlling shareholder.
- (3) Shares owned by various trusts, the beneficiaries of which are Dr. Renschler's two minor children.
- (4) The proportionate interest of various trusts, the beneficiaries of which are Dr. Renschler's two minor children in shares (1,200,000) owned by MidPines.
- (5) Shares owned by a trust for the benefit of Dr. Renschler's cousins, for which Dr. Renschler is the Trustee. Beneficial ownership is disclaimed.
- (6) The proportionate interest of a trust for the benefit of Dr. Renschler's cousins in shares (1,200,000) owned by MidPines. Dr. Renschler is the trustee. Beneficial ownership is disclaimed
- (7) The proportionate interest of a trust for the benefit of Dr. Renschler's cousin in shares (7,135,738) owned by Realty Investment Company, Inc. Dr. Renschler was the trustee. All shares were distributed in liquidation of the trust.
- (8) Dr. Renschler's interest in the Non-Employee Director Compensation Plan of the Issuer
- (9) The proportionate interest of the Scott Trust in shares (1,200,000) owned by MidPines Associates, L.P. ("MidPines").
- (10) Dr. Renschler received 844 shares as a gift.
- (11) Dr. Renschler gifted 1,660 shares to trusts for the benefit of his two minor children and Ms. Barbara Bainum gave 1,688 shares to their trusts.
- (12) Shares owned by various trusts, the beneficiaries of which are Dr. Renschler's two minor children.

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