

NETTER CHRISTOPHER
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
NETTER CHRISTOPHER

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SAUL CENTERS INC [BFS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
7501 WISCONSIN AVENUE, 14TH FLOOR

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/08/2010

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)

Sr. Vice President-Leasing

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

BETHESDA, MD 20814

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Shares | | | | | 426 | I | Wife-IRA |
| Common Shares | | | | | 199 | D (2) | |
| Common Shares | 04/08/2010 | | M | 4,000 A | \$ 24.91 4,000 | D | |
| Common Shares | 04/08/2010 | | S | 4,000 D | \$ 41.42 0 | 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative 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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Employee Stock Option | \$ 24.91 | 04/08/2010 | | M | 4,000 | 05/23/2004 ⁽¹⁾ 05/23/2013 | Common Stock | 4,000 |
| Employee Stock Option | \$ 25.78 | | | | | 04/26/2005 ⁽¹⁾ 04/26/2014 | Common Stock | 7,500 |
| Employee Stock Option | \$ 33.22 | | | | | 05/06/2006 ⁽¹⁾ 05/06/2015 | Common Stock | 15,000 |
| Employee Stock Option | \$ 54.17 | | | | | 04/27/2008 ⁽¹⁾ 04/27/2017 | Common Stock | 15,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| NETTER CHRISTOPHER 7501 WISCONSIN AVENUE 14TH FLOOR BETHESDA, MD 20814 | | | Sr. Vice President-Leasing | |

Signatures

Scott V. Schneider, by Power of Attorney
Date: 04/12/2010

**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) The options vest 25% per year over four years from the date of grant.
- (2) Self-IRA

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