Texas Roadhouse, Inc. Form 4 January 16, 2008

FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Hart Gerard Johan Issuer Symbol Texas Roadhouse, Inc. [TXRH] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

C/O TEXAS ROADHOUSE, INC., 6040 DUTCHMANS LANE, **SUITE 200**

(State)

(Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 01/14/2008 below) CEO & President

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

(Zip)

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

LOUISVILLE, KY 40205

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership **Following** (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Class A

Common Stock

(City)

15,000 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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	01/14/2008		A(2)	60,000	(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	60,000
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Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	01/14/2008		A(2)	60,000	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Class A Common Stock	60,000
Option to Purchase	\$ 1.47					05/15/2004	02/15/2010	Class A Common Stock	32,728
Option to Purchase	\$ 8.75					10/08/2005	10/08/2014	Class A Common Stock	57,000
Option to Purchase	\$ 8.75					10/08/2006	10/08/2014	Class A Common Stock	57,000
Option to Purchase	\$ 8.75					10/08/2007	10/08/2014	Class A Common Stock	277,87
Option to Purchase	\$ 1.47					05/15/2003	02/15/2010	Class A Common Stock	760,51

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Hart Gerard Johan C/O TEXAS ROADHOUSE, INC. 6040 DUTCHMANS LANE, SUITE 200	X		CEO & President			

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Signatures

/s/ Sheila C. Brown, by Power of Attorney

01/16/2008

**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) Each restricted stock unit represents a conditional right to receive one share of the Company's Class A Common Stock.
- (2) Grant of restricted stock units pursuant to the Company's 2004 Equity Incentive Plan.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest on January 7, 2009. Delivery of the shares to the reporting person will occur on January 7, 2009, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Company.
- (4) The restricted stock units vest on January 7, 2010. Delivery of the shares to the reporting person will occur on January 7, 2010, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Company.
- (5) The restricted stock units vest on January 7, 2011. Delivery of the shares to the reporting person will occur on January 7, 2011, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Company.
- (6) The restricted stock units vest on January 7, 2012. Delivery of the shares to the reporting person will occur on January 7, 2012, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Company.
 - The reporting person is the manager of the corporate general partner GJHTX Investments, Ltd. and has voting control over the securities.
- (7) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership within the meaning of Rule 16a-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, of such portion of those shares in which the reporting person has not actual pecuniary interest.

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