Ortiz Steven L Form 4/A August 20, 2012

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Ortiz Steven L

(First)

INC., 6040 DUTCHMANS LANE

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

Texas Roadhouse, Inc. [TXRH]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/03/2012

05/07/2012

(Check all applicable) Director

> X_ Officer (give title below)

Other (specify below)

10% Owner

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Chief Operating Officer 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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

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

Person

LOUISVILLE, KY 40205

C/O TEXAS ROADHOUSE.

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Security

or Exercise

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

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

(A)

Transaction(s) (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)

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

5. Number of Transaction Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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| (Instr. 3) | Price of Derivative Security | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8 | | Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | | | |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------|------------|------------------|-----------|---|--|--------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Option to Purchase | \$ 8.75 | 05/03/2012 | | M | | | 38,676 | 10/08/2006 | 10/08/2014 | Common Stock | 38,676 (2) |
| Option to Purchase | \$ 8.75 | 05/03/2012 | | M | | | 11,428 | 10/08/2007 | 10/08/2014 | Common Stock | 11,428 (2) |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Ortiz Steven L

C/O TEXAS ROADHOUSE, INC. 6040 DUTCHMANS LANE LOUISVILLE, KY 40205

Chief Operating Officer

Signatures

/s/ Celia Catlett, by Power of Attorney

08/20/2012 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Granted pursuant to a compensatory benefit plan.
- (2) All transactions were timely reported and filed. The purpose of this Form 4/A is to correct an administrative error regarding from which option grants the shares were exercised.

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