

GAYLORD ENTERTAINMENT CO /DE  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
ROSE MICHAEL D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
GAYLORD ENTERTAINMENT CO /DE [GET]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
999 SHADY GROVE ROAD, SUITE 303  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/16/2011

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

MEMPHIS, TN 38120

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	03/16/2011		M		100 A \$ 25.25	399	D
Common Stock	03/16/2011		S		100 D \$ 35.25	299	D
Common Stock	03/17/2011		M		24,900 A \$ 25.25	25,199	D
Common Stock	03/17/2011		S		24,900 D \$ 35.284	299	D
					(1)	40,000 (2)	I

Common  
Stock

By  
GRAT/IRA

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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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock	\$ 25.25	03/16/2011		M	100	04/23/2002 <sup>(3)</sup>	04/23/2011	Common Stock	100
Common Stock	\$ 25.25	03/17/2011		M	24,900	04/23/2002 <sup>(3)</sup>	04/23/2011	Common Stock	24,900

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ROSE MICHAEL D 999 SHADY GROVE ROAD SUITE 303 MEMPHIS, TN 38120		X		

## Signatures

Carter R. Todd, Attorney-in-Fact for Michael D. Rose  
03/18/2011

\_\_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) Stock was sold in a price range from 35.25 to 35.67.

(2) Consists of 30,000 shares held by grantor retained annuity trusts and 10,000 shares held by an individual retirement account.

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(3) Options vested rateably over 4 years from the grant date. Options are 100% vested.

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