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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Taylor Wayne Kent

(Middle)

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

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Texas Roadhouse, Inc. [TXRH]

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

05/08/2009

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Chairman of Company and Board

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) iomr Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Class B Common Stock							5,265,376	D	
Class A Common Stock							11,185,644	D	
Class A Common Stock	05/11/2009		S	395,000	D	\$ 11.05 (1)	10,790,644	D	
Class A							460,868	I	By Barren

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Common Stock								River Holdings LLC (2)
Class A Common Stock						114,998	I	By LD Holdings LLC (3)
Class A Common Stock						100,622	I	By PMB Holdings LLC (4)
Class A Common Stock	05/11/2009	S	50,000	D	\$ 11.05 (1)	50,622	I	By PMB Holdings LLC (4)
Class A Common Stock						855,000	Ι	By Wasatch Range LLC (5)
Class A Common Stock	05/08/2009	S	100,000	D	\$ 10.89 (6)	755,000	I	By Wasatch Range LLC (5)
Class A Common Stock	05/11/2009	S	55,000	D	\$ 11.05 (1)	700,000	I	By Wasatch Range LLC (5)
Class A Common Stock						2,613,150	I	By Taylor Family Partners, Ltd. (7)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Date	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)	Underlying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	re	Securities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities	s	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired				Follo
					(A) or				Repo
					Disposed				Trans
					of (D)				(Instr
					(Instr. 3,				
					4, and 5)				

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Date Expiration Or Number Of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting owner runner radices	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Taylor Wayne Kent C/O TEXAS ROADHOUSE, INC. 6040 DUTCHMANS LANE, SUITE 200 LOUISVILLE, KY 40205	X	X	Chairman of Company and Board			

Signatures

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

05/12/2009

**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).
- Weighted average sale price reported. These shares were sold within a range of \$10.61 and \$11.32. The reporting person will provide (1) upon request by the Commission Staff, the issuer, or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- The reporting party is the voting manager of Barren River Holdings LLC, a Kentucky limited liability company. 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 no actual pecuniary interest.
- The reporting party is the manager of LD Holdings LLC, a Kentucky limited liability company. 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 no actual pecuniary interest.
- The reporting party is the manager of PMB Holdings LLC, a Kentucky limited liability company. The reporting person disclaims

 (4) 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 no actual pecuniary interest.
- The reporting party is the voting manager of Wasatch Range LLC, a Kentucky limited liability conpany. The reporting person disclaims (5) beneficial ownership within the meaning of Rule 16a-1 of the Securites Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, of such portion of those shares in which the reporting person has no actual pecuniary interest.
- Weighted average sale price reported. These shares were sold within a range of \$10.55 and \$11.40. The reporting person will provide upon request by the Commission Staff, the issuer, or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- Certain members of the reporting party's Immediate Family, as defined in Rule 16a-1(e) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, have a pecuniary interest in Taylor Family Partners, Ltd., a Kentucky limited partnership. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership, within the meaning of Rule 16a-1, of such portion of those shares in which the reporting person has no actual pecuniary interest.

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