#### CARACI PHILIP D

Form 4

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## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CARACI PHILIP D			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)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(1 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 1		
			(Month/Day/Year)	_X_ Director 10% Owner		
7501 WISCONSIN AVENUE, 15TH FLOOR			01/02/2009	Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
BETHESDA, MD 20814				Form filed by More than One Reporting		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secı	ırities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	cially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed of (D)	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							3,002 (10)	D (11)	
Common Shares							51,116	D (1)	
Common Shares							25,164 (6) (9)	I	Wifes-Trust
Series B Preferred Stock							2,000	I	Wifes- Trust
Common Shares	11/20/2008		G	1,000	D	\$ 24.67	59,587 (8) (9) (12)	I (7)	Self-Trust

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date		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
Phantom Stock (4)	\$ 38.52 (2)	01/02/2009		A	31.153	(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	31.153
Stock Option	\$ 40.35					05/01/2006	05/06/2016	Common Stock	2,500
Stock Option	\$ 54.17					04/27/2007	04/27/2017	Common Stock	2,500
Stock Option	\$ 50.15					04/25/2008	04/25/2018	Common Stock	2,500

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CARACI PHILIP D 7501 WISCONSIN AVENUE 15TH FLOOR BETHESDA, MD 20814	X						

## **Signatures**

Scott V. Schneider, by Power of
Attorney

\*\*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) Self-IRA

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- (3) Under the terms of the reporting person's Deferred Fee Agreement, payment of shares of the issuer's common stock commences at such time as the reporting person ceases to be a director of the issuer. Payment will be a lump sum upon termination of directorship.
- Pursuant to the issuer's Deferred Compensation Plan under its 2004 Stock Plan and the Deferred Fee Agreement executed by the reporting person, the reporting person has elected to defer receipt of his director's fees, and receive phantom stock, the amount of which is calculated as the quotient of the dollar value of fees deferred, divided by the fair market value of the issuer's shares on the date the phantom stock is received.
- Includes 235.868 shares (\$34.2459/share) awarded October 31, 2008 as dividend reinvestments on shares of phantom stock held by the reporting person pursuant to the issuer's Deferred Compensation Plan under its 2004 Stock Plan and shares of phantom stock issued under the issuer's Deferred Compensation Stock Plan for Directors.
- (6) Balance increased by October 31, 2008 Dividend Reinvestment Plan award of 48.928 shares.
- (7) Self-Trust. Reporting person is a Trustee
- (8) Balance increased by October 31, 2008 Dividend Reinvestment Plan award of 24.012 shares.
- (9) 23,902.015 shares reclassified 11/20/08 from Wife's Trust to Self Trust. Reporting person controls both accounts.
- (10) Includes adjustment of -117.136 shares to correct prior balance reported.
- (11) Wife's IRA
- (12) Includes balance adjustment of -.661 shares.

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