

SHELLS SEAFOOD RESTAURANTS INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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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 *
Herman Gary L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1325 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, 26TH FLOOR

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10019

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SHELLS SEAFOOD RESTAURANTS INC [SHLL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/31/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par per share	01/31/2005		X		93,750 (1)	A	\$ 0.16 93,750	D
Common Stock, \$0.01 par per share	01/31/2005		X		192,190 (2)	A	\$ 0.16 392,190	I
								See Footnote. (3)

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 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)	8. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Warrant to purchase Common Stock	\$ 0.5					01/31/2005 01/31/2007	Warrant to purchase Common Stock	400,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Herman Gary L 1325 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS 26TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10019	X			

Signatures

Gary L. Herman 02/17/2005

**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) The Common Stock was acquired pursuant to the exercise of the remaining portion of a warrant.
- (2) Represents shares acquired by the exercise of the remaining portion of a warrant owned by affiliated entities of the Reporting Person.
- (3) Includes shares owned by Galloway Capital Management, LLC and a trust for the benefit of Mr. Herman's children. Mr. Herman is a managing member of Galloway Capital Management, LLC and trustee of the aforementioned trust.

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(4) The warrant is held by GCM Shells Seafood Partners, LLC of which Mr. Herman is a managing member.

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