HART JAMES RANDOLPH

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HART JAMES RANDOLPH

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Issuer

RYANS RESTAURANT GROUP INC [RYAN]

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

405 LANCASTER AVENUE 10/24/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Vice President - Human Resourc 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

(Instr. 8)

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

Person

below)

GREER, SC 29605

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

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

Ownership (T) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any

4. 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 (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) Derivative or Disposed of Security (D)

(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Exercisable

Title Date

or Number of Shares

Amount

Employee

Stock Option

\$ 10.48 10/24/2005

15,000 A

04/24/2006 10/24/2015

Common 15,000 Stock

(Right to Buy)

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HART JAMES RANDOLPH **405 LANCASTER AVENUE GREER, SC 29605**

Vice President - Human Resourc

Signatures

James Randolph 10/25/2005 Hart

**Signature of Date 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).

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