Colosi Scott Matthew Form 4 February 28, 2012

## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 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).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Colosi Scott Matthew

(First) (Middle)

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

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Texas Roadhouse, Inc. [TXRH]

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

02/28/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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#### LOUISVILLE, KY 40205

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative S	ecurit	ies Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	y 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) our Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or		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)	
C			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(msu. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/28/2012		M	35	A	\$ 3.45	94,633	D	
Common Stock	02/28/2012		M	3,480	A	\$ 3.45	98,113	D	
Common Stock	02/28/2012		M	35	A	\$ 3.45	98,148	D	
Common Stock	02/28/2012		M	35	A	\$ 3.45	98,183	D	
Common Stock	02/28/2012		M	18,750	A	\$ 8.75	116,933	D	

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Common Stock	02/28/2012	M	95,000	A	\$ 8.75 211,933	D
Common Stock	02/28/2012	S	117,335	D	\$ 16.91 94,598	D

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)			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
Restricted Stock Units	(2)						<u>(3)</u>	(3)	Common Stock	50,000
Restricted Stock Units	(2)						<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	50,000
Restricted Stock Units	(2)						<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	50,000
Restricted Stock Units	(2)						<u>(3)</u>	(3)	Common Stock	41,667
Option to Purchase	\$ 3.45	02/28/2012		M		35	09/09/2006	09/09/2012	Common Stock	35
Option to Purchase	\$ 3.45	02/28/2012		M		3,480	09/09/2006	09/09/2012	Common Stock	3,480
Option to Purchase	\$ 3.45	02/28/2012		M		35	09/09/2007	09/09/2012	Common Stock	35
Option to Purchase	\$ 3.45	02/28/2012		M		35	09/09/2008	09/09/2012	Common Stock	35

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Option to Purchase	\$ 8.75	02/28/2012	M	18,750	10/08/2006	10/08/2014	Common Stock	18,750
Option to Purchase	\$ 8.75	02/28/2012	M	95,000	10/08/2007	10/08/2014	Common Stock	95,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Colosi Scott Matthew C/O TEXAS ROADHOUSE, INC. 6040 DUTCHMANS LANE, SUITE 200 LOUISVILLE, KY 40205

Chief Financial Officer

## **Signatures**

/s/ Celia Catlett, by Power of

Attorney 02/28/2012

\*\*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 \$16.75 and \$17.06. The reporting person will provide
- (1) upon request by the Commission Staff, the issuer, or security holder, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (2) Grant of restricted stock pursuant to the Company's 2004 Equity Incentive Plan.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest on January 7, 2013. Delivery of the shares to the reporting person will occur on January 7, 2013, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Company.
- (4) The restricted stock units vest on January 7, 2014. Delivery of the shares to the reporting person will occur on January 7, 2014, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Company.
- (5) The restricted stock units vest on January 7, 2015. Delivery of the shares to the reporting person will occur on January 7, 2015, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Company.
- (6) Granted pursuant to a compensatory benefit plan.

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