Texas Roadhouse, Inc. Form 4 November 10, 2016

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Jacobsen S. Chris

(Middle)

(First)

C/O TEXAS ROADHOUSE.

INC., 6040 DUTCHMANS LANE

(Street)

LOUISVILLE, KY 40205

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Texas Roadhouse, Inc. [TXRH]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 11/09/2016

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

3.

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Chief Marketing Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

4. Securities

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

or Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

Common 11/09/2016 $S^{(1)}$ 5,996 D \$ 42 13,476 D Stock

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)

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8. Price Derivation Security (Instr. 5)

| 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. onNumber 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) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Restricted Stock Units | <u>(2)</u> | | | | | (3) | (3) | Common Stock | 10,000 |
| Restricted Stock Units | <u>(2)</u> | | | | | <u>(4)</u> | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock | 10,000 |
| Restricted Stock Units | <u>(2)</u> | | | | | (5) | <u>(5)</u> | Common Stock | 10,000 |
| Restricted Stock Units | <u>(2)</u> | | | | | (5) | (5) | Common Stock | 5,000 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Jacobsen S. Chris C/O TEXAS ROADHOUSE, INC. 6040 DUTCHMANS LANE LOUISVILLE, KY 40205

Chief Marketing Officer

Signatures

/s/ Celia Catlett, by Power of

Attorney 11/10/2016

**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) These shares were disposed of pursuant to a written non-discretionary Rule 10b5-1 stock purchase plan dated September 2, 2016.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a conditional right to receive one share of the Company's common stock.

(3)

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The restricted stock units vest on January 8, 2017. Delivery of the shares to the reporting person will occur on or about January 8, 2017, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the company.

- (4) The restricted stock units vest on January 8, 2018. Delivery of the shares to the reporting person will occur on January 8, 2018, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the company.
- (5) The restricted stock units vest on January 8, 2019. Delivery of the shares to the reporting person will occur on January 8, 2019, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the company.

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