

CHOICE HOTELS INTERNATIONAL INC /DE
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
BAINUM BARBARA

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CHOICE HOTELS INTERNATIONAL INC /DE [CHH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 10770 COLUMBIA PIKE, SUITE 100
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 10/07/2004

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

SILVER SPRING, MD 20901

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 43,816 | I | See Footnote (2) |
| Common Stock | | | | | 52,646 | I | See Footnote (3) |
| Common Stock | | | | | 278,920 | I | See Footnote (4) |
| Common | | | | | 61,150 | I | See |

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|-----------------|------------|------------|---|--------|---|-----------|-----------|---|----------------------------|
| Stock | | | | | | | | | Footnote (5) |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 421,697 | I | | See Footnote (6) |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 109,929 | I | | See Footnote (7) |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 85,742 | I | | See Footnote (8) |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 1,199,996 | I | | See Footnote (1) |
| Common Stock | 10/07/2004 | 10/07/2004 | S | 11,808 | D | \$ 56.5 | 1,188,188 | I | See Footnote (1) (9) |

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |

BAINUM BARBARA
10770 COLUMBIA PIKE
SUITE 100
SILVER SPRING, MD 20901

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Signatures

Christine A. Shreve;
Attorney-in-fact

10/08/2004

__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) Shares owned by the Barbara Bainum Declaration of Trust (the "BB Trust") in which Ms. Bainum is the sole trustee and current beneficiary.
- (2) The proportionate interest of the BB Trust in shares (600,000) owned by Mid Pines Associates, L.P. ("Mid Pines"), in which the BB Trust has shared voting authority.
- (3) The proportionate interest of the Barbara Bainum Grantor Retained Annuity Trust ("GRAT") dated September 5, 1996, the sole trustee of which is Ms. Bainum, in shares (600,000) owned by Mid Pines.
- (4) The proportionate interest of the BB Trust in shares (3,567,869) owned by Realty Investment, Co, Inc., a real estate investment and management company in which the BB Trust is a noncontrolling shareholder.
- (5) The proportionate interest of certain trusts in shares (600,000) owned by Mid Pines for the benefit of Ms. Bainum's sons and nephews. Ms. Bainum is the sole trustee and her sons and nephews are the beneficiaries. Beneficial ownership is disclaimed.
The proportionate interest in shares (3,567,869) owned by Realty Investment Company, Inc. for the benefit of: a) trusts for Ms. Bainum's sons and nephews. Ms. Bainum is the sole trustee and her sons and nephews are the beneficiaries AND b) shares in UTMA accounts for the benefit of Ms. Bainum's nephews who are minors. Beneficial ownership is disclaimed.
- (7) Shares owned by certain trusts for the benefit of Ms. Bainum's sons and nephews. Ms. Bainum is the sole trustee and her sons and nephews are the beneficiaries. Beneficial ownership is disclaimed.
- (8) Shares owned by the GRAT in which Ms. Bainum is the sole trustee and current beneficiary.
- (9) Ms. Bainum sold 11,808 shares.

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