SCHEIN HENRY INC

Form 4

\$0.01 per share

Common Stock, par

\$0.01 per share

Common

Stock, par

12/03/2004

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value

December 03, 2004

OMB APPROVAL UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 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). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **ZACK MICHAEL** Issuer Symbol SCHEIN HENRY INC [HSIC] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify C/O HENRY SCHEIN, INC., 135 12/03/2004 below) below) **DURYEA ROAD** Senior VP of Int'l Group (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting MELVILLE, NY 11747 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Direct (D) Ownership (Instr. 8) Owned Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I)(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount Price Common Stock, par D value 12/03/2004 M 3,000 \$ 39.875 7,000 A

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/03/2004	S	100	D	\$ 67.03	9,800	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/03/2004	S	2,300	D	\$ 67.1	7,500	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/03/2004	S	600	D	\$ 67.21	6,900	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/03/2004	S	1,500	D	\$ 67.25	5,400	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/03/2004	S	1,100	D	\$ 67.29	4,300	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/03/2004	S	300	D	\$ 67.3	4,000	D	
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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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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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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 I S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options (right to buy) (1)	\$ 39.875	12/03/2004		M	3,000	<u>(2)</u>	03/17/2008	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	3,000	
Stock Options (right to buy) (1)	\$ 11.8125	12/03/2004		M	3,000	(3)	12/15/2009	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	3,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Name / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ZACK MICHAEL C/O HENRY SCHEIN, INC. 135 DURYEA ROAD MELVILLE, NY 11747

Senior VP of Int'l Group

Signatures

/s/ Michael Zack
12/03/2004

**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).
- (1) Acquired pursuant to the Issuer's 1994 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (2) The option vested in three equal installments on March 17, 1999, March 17, 2000 and March 17, 2001.
- (3) The option vested in three equal installments on December 15, 2000, December 15, 2001 and December 15, 2002.

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