

CAESARS ENTERTAINMENT INC
 Form 4
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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 *
 SHELTON GILBERT L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 CAESARS ENTERTAINMENT INC [CZR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 06/13/2005

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

CAESARS ENTERTAINMENT INC, 3930 HOWARD HUGHES PARKWAY

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

LAS VEGAS, NV 89109

(City) (State) (Zip)

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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| Common Stock | 06/13/2005 | | D | (A) or (D) <u>(2)</u> | 20,000 <u>(1)</u> | D | 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)

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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. 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 Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6) |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| SHELTON GILBERT L CAESARS ENTERTAINMENT INC 3930 HOWARD HUGHES PARKWAY LAS VEGAS, NV 89109 | | X | | |

Signatures

GILBERT L. SHELTON 06/13/2005

**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) Represents 20,000 shares owned jointly by Mr. Shelton and his spouse, Dr. Judy Shelton.

Pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of July 14, 2004 (the "Merger Agreement"), by and among Caesars, Harrah's Entertainment Inc. ("Harrah's") and Harrah's Operating Company, Inc., at the effective time of the merger contemplated therein, each outstanding share of Caesars common stock was converted into the right to receive either 0.3247 shares of Harrah's common stock or

(2) \$17.75 in cash, at each stockholder's election and subject to proration as described in the Merger Agreement. As a result of the proration calculations that have not yet been completed as of the date of this filing, it is not possible to determine the exact amount of merger consideration to be received by the reporting person for each share of Caesars common stock disposed of in the merger. Harrah's will issue a press release announcing the final merger consideration when it is determined.

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