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April 24, 2003

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

() Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.

Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person $\,$

James, Thomas A. 880 Carillon Parkway St. Petersburg, FL 33716 USA

 Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Outback Steakhouse, Inc. OSI

- 3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
- 4. Statement for Month/Year 04/23/03
- 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
- 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) (X) Director () 10% Owner () Officer (give title below) () Other (specify below)
- 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 - (X) Form filed by One Reporting Person
 - () Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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1. Title of Security		.Securities Acquor Disposed of		5.Amount of Securities	
		Amount	A/ D Price	Beneficially Owned at End of Month	
Common Stock, par value \$.0 04/23/ A - 7	8	A N/A(2)	5,147(1)	

Table II -- Derivative Securitites Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Represents number of shares beneficially owned immediately after the reported transaction.
- (2) The common shares were acquired under the Company's Deferred Compensation and Stock Plan.
- (3) The option vests in three annual installments beginning on 10/23/2003, in the respective amounts of 15,000 shares, 15,000 shares and 15,000 shares. SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON

Joseph J. Kadow, Attorney-in-Fact DATE

04/23/03