

OUTBACK STEAKHOUSE INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
 Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**BASHAM ROBERT DANKER**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**OUTBACK STEAKHOUSE INC [OSI]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 10/28/2005

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

**C/O OUTBACK STEAKHOUSE, INC., 2202 N. WEST SHORE BLVD., 5TH FLOOR**

(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

**TAMPA, FL 33607**

(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)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock, par value \$.01	10/28/2005		J <sup>(1)</sup>	25,000 D ②	2,899,378	I	See <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$.01	10/28/2005		G	25,000 D ②	0	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01					1,491,326	I	See <sup>(3)</sup>

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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. Nature of Derivative Security Beneficially Owned (Instr. 3)
				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

BASHAM ROBERT DANKER  
C/O OUTBACK STEAKHOUSE, INC.  
2202 N. WEST SHORE BLVD., 5TH FLOOR  
TAMPA, FL 33607

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## Signatures

/s/ Joseph J. Kadow,  
Attorney-in-Fact

10/31/2005

\_\_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) Owned by RDB Equities, Limited Partnership, a Nevada limited partnership ("LP"). The reporting person received 25,000 shares in a non-liquidating distribution from LP. These shares were previously reported as beneficially owned by the reporting person indirectly through LP. The foregoing transaction is exempt from Section 16 pursuant to Rule 16a-13 as a change in beneficial ownership. The shares were subsequently gifted directly by Mr. Basham.

(2) Not applicable.

(3) Owned by the Robert D. Basham Revocable Trust Agreement of 1992, dated September 4, 1992 ("Revocable Trust"), wherein the reporting person is the sole Trustee and beneficiary of the Revocable Trust.

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