

# FORM 4

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

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <b>SCHENKTEAL STEVEN L.</b>  (Last) (First) (Middle)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <b>LANDRY'S RESTAURANTS, INC. LNY</b>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <b>EVP &amp; General Counsel</b>
<b>1510 WEST LOOP SOUTH</b>	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <b>12/03/2009</b>	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
<b>HOUSTON TX 77027</b>	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	
(City) (State) (Zip)		

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	Amount			
Common Stock	12/03/2009		M	A	3466	11466	D	
Common Stock	12/03/2009		S	D	3466	8000	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instructions 4(b)(v).

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Table II — Derivative Securities 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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Stock Options	\$18.00	12/03/2009		M		3466	07/22/2007	07/22/2012	Common Stock	\$18.00	39534	D	

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. see 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a)

Steven L. Scheinthal

12/07/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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