

KELLEY PAUL X
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FORM 4

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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 *
KELLEY PAUL X

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SAUL CENTERS INC [BFS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
7501 WISCONSIN AVENUE, 15TH FLOOR

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
05/06/2005

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

(Street)
BETHESDA, MD 20814

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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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 Shares	05/06/2005		A	200	\$ 33.22	(1)	D
Common Shares					3,100		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)

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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 25.78					04/26/2004	04/26/2014	Common Stock	2,500
Stock Option	\$ 33.22	05/06/2005		A	2,500	05/06/2005	05/06/2015	Common Stock	2,500
Phantom Stock ⁽²⁾	⁽³⁾					⁽⁴⁾	⁽⁴⁾	Common Stock	309.749

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KELLEY PAUL X 7501 WISCONSIN AVENUE 15TH FLOOR BETHESDA, MD 20814	X			

Signatures

Scott V. Schneider, by Power of Attorney

05/10/2005

**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) Balance increased by April 29, 2005 Dividend Reinvestment Plan award of 150.074 shares.

(2) Pursuant to the issuer's Deferred Compensation Plan under its 2004 Stock Plan and the Deferred Fee Agreement executed by the reporting person, the reporting person has elected to defer receipt of his director's fees, and receive phantom stock, the amount of which is calculated as the quotient of the dollar value of fees deferred, divided by the fair market value of the issuer's shares on the date the phantom stock is received.

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(4) Under the terms of the reporting person's Deferred Fee Agreement, payment of shares of the issuer's common stock commences the earlier of 01/01/2010, or such time as the reporting person ceases to be a director of the issuer. Payment is made in equal annual installments over a period of 5 years starting on the date of the initial payment.

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- Includes 76,412 shares (\$32.3980/share) awarded January 31, 2005 as dividend reinvestments on shares of phantom stock held by the
- (5) reporting person pursuant to the issuer's Deferred Compensation Plan under its 2004 Stock Plan and shares of phantom stock issued under the issuer's Deferred Compensation and Stock Plan for Directors.

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