HARRAHS ENTERTAINMENT INC

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BOONE JERRY**

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

HARRAHS ENTERTAINMENT INC [HET]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 06/15/2005

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title

(Check all applicable)

Senior Vice President

below)

Other (specify

ONE HARRAH'S COURT

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

LAS VEGAS, NV 89119

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly 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	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	06/15/2005	06/15/2005	M	2,402	A	\$ 47.025	2,912	D	
Common Stock	06/15/2005	06/15/2005	M	2,910	A	\$ 43.495	5,822	D	
Common Stock	06/15/2005	06/15/2005	M	10,000	A	\$ 51.355	15,822	D	
Common Stock	06/15/2005	06/15/2005	S	15,312	D	\$ 73.8	510	D	
Common Stock							92	I	401(k) (1)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	onDerivative		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
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 47.025	06/15/2005	06/15/2005	M		2,402	(2)	06/20/2009	Common Stock	2,402
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 43.495	06/15/2005	06/15/2005	M		2,910	(3)	06/18/2010	Common Stock	2,910
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 51.355	06/15/2005	06/15/2005	M		10,000	<u>(4)</u>	02/25/2014	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
BOONE JERRY ONE HARRAH'S COURT LAS VEGAS, NV 89119			Senior Vice President					

Signatures

Jerry Boone by Angela P. Winter, attorney-in-fact 06/16/2005

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**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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) Held by the Trustees of the Harrah's Entertainment, Inc. Savings and Retirement Plan. Holdings reported as of 4/29/2005 and roun ded to the nearest share.
- (2) Exercisable in three equal installments on 1/1/03, 1/1/04, and 1/1/05.
- (3) Exercisable in three equal installments on 1/1/04, 1/1/05, and 1/1/06.
- (4) Exercisable in three equal installments on 1/1/05; 1/1/06; and 1/1/07.

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