NIERENBERG DAVID Form SC 13D/A September 09, 2005

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

SCHEDULE 13D
Under the Securities Act of 1934
(Amendment No. 11)

Mexican Restaurants, Inc.
(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock (Title of Class of Securities)

14712P104 (CUSIP Number)

David Nierenberg

The D3 Family Funds

19605 NE 8th Street

Camas, WA 98607

360-604-8600

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

September 2, 2005 (Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D and is filing this schedule because of ss.ss.240.13d-1(e), 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g), check the following box: $| _ |$

1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSON		
	The D3 Family Fund, L.P. (David Nierenberg is president of Partner, which is Nierenberg Investment Management Company		General
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	USA					
		7	SOLE VOTING POWER			
			545,306 common shares (15.8%)			
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			222,770 common shares (6.5%)		
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		7	SOLE VOTING POWER			
			48,224 common shares (1.4%)			
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		7	SOLE VOTING POWER		
			54,000 common shares (1.6%)		
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Item 1. Security and Issuer.

Common stock in Mexican Restaurants, Inc. (CASA), 1135 Edgebrook, Houston, TX 77034-1899.

Item 2. Identity and Background.

The D3 Family Fund, L.P. is a Washington State limited partnership, whose principal business is investing in the equities of public micro-cap issuers. Located at $19605\ N.E.\ 8th\ St.$, Camas, Washington $98607.\ No$ convictions or administrative proceedings as described in 2 (d) and (e).

Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration

Source of funds is money invested in the partnership by its partners.

Item 4. Purpose of Transaction

For investment purposes.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer.

(a,b) The D3 Family Fund, L.P. owns and has sole voting and dispositive power over 545,306 common shares of CASA.

- (c) N/A
- (d) N/A
- (e) N/A
- Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships with Respect to Securities of the Issuer.

N/A

Item 7. Material to be Filed as Exhibits

N/A

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, each of the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in the Statement is true, complete and correct.

September 9, 2005

/s/ DAVID NIERENBERG

David Nierenberg

President

Nierenberg Investment Management Company, Inc., the General Partner of $% \left\{ 1\right\} =\left\{ 1\right\} =\left\{$

The D3 Family Fund, L.P

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Item 1. Security and Issuer.

> Common stock in Mexican Restaurants, Inc. (CASA), 1135 Edgebrook, Houston, TX 77034-1899.

Item 2. Identity and Background.

> The D3 Family Retirement Fund, L.P. is a Washington State limited partnership, whose principal Business is investing in the equities of public micro-cap issuers. Located at 19605 N.E. 8th St., Camas, Washington 98607. No convictions or administrative proceedings as described in 2 (d) and (e).

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Item 4. Purpose of Transaction

For investment purposes.

Interest in Securities of the Issuer. Item 5.

> (a,b) The D3 Family Retirement Fund, L.P. owns and has sole voting and dispositive power over 222,770 common shares of CASA.

- (c) N/A
- (d) N/A
- (e) N/A

Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships with Item 6. Respect to Securities of the Issuer.

N/A

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Signature

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September 9, 2005

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_____ David Nierenberg

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Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration

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Item 4. Purpose of Transaction

For investment purposes.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer.

(a,b) The D3 Children's Fund, L.P. owns and has sole voting and dispositive power over 48,224 common shares of CASA.

- (c) N/A
- (d) N/A
- (e) N/A

Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships with Respect to Securities of the Issuer.

N/A

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September 9, 2005

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Item 4. Purpose of Transaction

For investment purposes.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer.

(a,b) The D3 Offshore Fund, L.P. owns and has sole voting and dispositive power over 202,710 common shares of CASA.

(C)	Date	Shares	Bought	Price
	8/19/2005	22,000		9.40
	8/24/2005	5,100		9.31
	8/30/2005	12,260		9.64
	8/31/2005	350		9.68
	9/02/2005	30,600		9.58

- (d) N/A
- (e) N/A

Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships with Respect to Securities of the Issuer.

N/A

Item 7. Material to be Filed as Exhibits

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Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration

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Item 4. Purpose of Transaction

For investment purposes.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer.

(a,b) The D3 Family Bulldog Fund, L.P. owns and has sole voting and dispositive power over 54,000 common shares of CASA.

- (c) N/A
- (d) N/A
- (e) N/A

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