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FORM 4

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RAY GILBERT T

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

IHOP CORP [IHP]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) (Last)

(Street)

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

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

450 N. BRAND BLVD. - FL. 7

4. If Amendment, Date Original

04/26/2006

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

GLENDALE, CA 91203-4415

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or

Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

or

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 4)

SEC 1474

(9-02)

(A)

Code

(Instr. 8)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 8. Pr 4. Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date **Underlying Securities** Deri Security or Exercise Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) Secu (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (Inst

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	Derivative Security				(A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)					
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options	(1)						<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	(1)
Restricted Stock Award	(2)						(2)	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	(2)
Restricted Stock	<u>(3)</u>	04/26/2006	M		1,200		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	1,200

Reporting Owners

Relationshir	ne

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director Owner Officer Other

RAY GILBERT T 450 N. BRAND BLVD. - FL. 7 X GLENDALE, CA 91203-4415

Signatures

Gilbert T. Ray 04/28/2006

**Signature of Person Date

**Reporting Person

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) Non-employee stock options granted pursuant to IHOP Corp. 2001 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (2) The restricted stock award converts to common stock on a 1-for-1 basis upon vesting.
- (3) Grant of Restricted Stock pursuant to IHOP Corp. 2005 Stock Incentive Plan for Non-Employee Directors. These shares vest in full on March 1, 2009.

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