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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addres	s of Reporting Persor	۲	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
REED COLIN V			GAYLORD ENTERTAINMENT CO /DE [GET]	(Check X X	all applicable) Director Officer (give title	10% Owner Other (specify			
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE GAYLORD DRIVE		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/20/2010		below) below) Chairman & CEO				
(Street) NASHVILLE	TN	37214	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Form filed by One Report Form filed by More than C	ing Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Person	She reporting			

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. Transa Code (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) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Common Stock	12/20/2010		М		12,500	A	\$25.25	511,702	D	
Common Stock	12/20/2010		S		12,500 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$35.356(2)	494,202 ⁽³⁾	D	
Common Stock								630 ⁽⁴⁾	Ι	By Trust

 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. Transa Code (8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (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: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$25.25	12/20/2010		М			12,500	04/23/2005	04/23/2011	Common Stock	12,500	\$0.00	12,500	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. This sale was effected according to instructions given in August 2010 by the reporting person pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan with respect to an option grant set to expire April 23, 2011. 2. Stock was sold in a price range of 35.14 to 35.63

2. Stock was sold in a price range of 55.14 to 55.65

3. Includes 385,242 shares credited to Mr. Reed's SERP account, each of which is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock and payable solely in shares of common stock following termination of employment. Does not include 170,000 shares of common stock issuable upon the time-based vesting of restricted stock units, the vesting of which has been deferred by Mr. Reed. Does not include 136,500 shares of common stock issuable upon the vesting of performance-based restricted stock units granted on February 4, 2008. Does not include 54,500 shares of common stock issuable upon the vesting of time-based restricted stock units granted on February 3, 2010.

4. Held as Trustee for Samuel A. Reed Trust UA December 27, 2001.

Remarks:

Carter R. Todd, Attorney-in-Fact for Colin V. Reed

12/21/2010

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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 Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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