FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  TODD CARTER R						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GAYLORD ENTERTAINMENT CO /DE GET ]								(Che	ck all app Direc	,	109	o Issuer 6 Owner er (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE GAYLORD DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/10/2009								<b>-</b>	belo	elow) below) EVP, General Counsel & Sec.		
(Street) NASHVILLE TN 37214  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. In Line	Forn	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,		n Date,	Code (Instr.   5)						Secur Benef Owne	icially d Following	6. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A)	or	Price		action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 08/10/2							2009		S		8,000		D	\$18.07	20	0,000(1)	D	
	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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transactic Code (Inst 8)				6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		tr. 3	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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## Explanation of Responses:

1. Includes 20,000 shares of common stock issuable upon the vesting of restricted stock units, subject to performance based vesting on 2/4/2012.

## Remarks:

Carter R. Todd

08/12/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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