CAVA JEFFREY M

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

CAVA JEFFREY M

WENDYS INTERNATIONAL INC

[WEN]

(Check all applicable)

EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year) 12/16/2005

below)

WENDY'S INTERNATIONAL,

(Street)

(State)

INC., P. O. BOX 256

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

DUBLIN, OH 43017-0256

(City)

Common

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

875

M

\$0 22,002 (2)

D

12/16/2005 Stock (1)

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities		8. Price Derivati
Security	or Exercise	(Monan Buji Tear)	any	Code Derivative		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					(Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock	\$ 0	12/16/2005		M	875	<u>(3)</u>	(3)	Common Stock	875	<u>(4)</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CAVA JEFFREY M WENDY'S INTERNATIONAL, INC. P. O. BOX 256 DUBLIN, OH 43017-0256

EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT

Signatures

JEFFREY M
CAVA

12/20/2005

**Signature of 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).
- (4) PHANTOM STOCK IS CONVERTED INTO COMMON STOCK ON A 1-FOR-1 BASIS.
- (3) DECEMBER 16, 2005
- (1) SHARES SHOWN ON TABLE 1 INCLUDE SHARES ACQUIRED PURSUANT TO THE DIVIDEND REINVESTMENT PROVISIONS OF A RESTRICTED STOCK AWARD MADE UNDER THE ISSUER'S 2003 STOCK INCENTIVE PLAN.
- (2) REFLECTS COMMON STOCK ACQUIRED THROUGH SETTLEMENT OF PHANTOM STOCK, WHICH WAS ACQUIRED THROUGH REPORTING PERSON'S PARTICIPATION IN ISSUER'S DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN.

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