

SCHEDLER DONALD P

Form 4

June 16, 2006

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SCHEDLER DONALD P

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O: NATHAN'S FAMOUS,
INC., 1400 OLD COUNTRY ROAD

(Street)

WESTBURY, NY 11590

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
NATHANS FAMOUS INC [NATH]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
06/14/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock			Code V	Amount (D) Price	2,000	D	

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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
2002 Stock Incentive Plan (Option to Buy)	\$ 13.08	06/14/2006		A	7,500	06/14/2007 ⁽¹⁾ 06/13/2016	Common Stock	7,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SCHEDLER DONALD P C/O: NATHAN'S FAMOUS, INC. 1400 OLD COUNTRY ROAD WESTBURY, NY 11590			Vice President	

Signatures

/s/Donald P.
Schedler

06/16/2006

__Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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(1) Options becomes exercisable 20% on each of the first through fifth anniversaries of the grant date.

(2) Does not include options to purchase 10,000 shares under each of the 1992 Stock Option Plan, the 1998 Stock Option Plan and the 2002 Stock Incentive Plan.

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