CHARMING SHOPPES INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

See Instruction 1(b).

(Last)

450 WINKS LANE

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **DAVIES PAMELA LEWIS**

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

[CHRS]

Issuer

CHARMING SHOPPES INC

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(First) (Middle)

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

10% Owner Officer (give title _ Other (specify

09/25/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

_X__ Director

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

Person

below)

BENSALEM, PA 19020

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed of (4 and 3 (A) or	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	09/25/2006		Code V M	Amount 20,000	(D)	Price \$ 6.2188	· ·	D	
Common Stock	09/25/2006		S	20,000	D	\$ 14.7825 (1)	22,397	D	
Common Stock	09/25/2006		M	20,000	A	\$ 5.125	42,397	D	
Common Stock	09/25/2006		S	20,000	D	\$ 14.7825 (1)	22,397	D	

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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 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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 Ar Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title I
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.125	09/25/2006		M	20,000	06/01/2001(2)	06/15/2010	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.2188	09/25/2006		M	20,000	06/01/2000(2)	07/01/2009	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer Other			
DAVIES PAMELA LEWIS 450 WINKS LANE BENSALEM, PA 19020	X					

Signatures

PAMELA LEWIS **DAVIES**

09/25/2006 **Signature of Reporting Date

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) This is a weighted average price. Prices range from a low of \$14.74 to a high of \$14.85.
- (2) Option became exercisable for 20% of the underlying shares annually, beginning on the date indicated.

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