BAINUM ROBERTA

Form 5

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1(b). Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Transactions Reported

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** BAINUM ROBERTA | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHOICE HOTELS INTERNATIONAL INC /DE [CHH] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|---|-----------|----------|--|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2005 | Director X 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) | | | |
| 10770 COLU 100 | MBIA PIKI | E, SUITE | | | | | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line) | | | |

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| (City) | (State) (| (Zip) Tabl | e I - Non-Der | ivative Sec | urities | Acqui | red, Disposed of | f, or Beneficial | ly 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. Securit (A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4) | sposed | of | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 1,400,427 | I | See Footnote (3) (8) |
| Common Stock | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 106,200 | I | See Footnote (4) |
| Common Stock | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 81,424 | I | See Footnote |

| | | | | | | | | | (6) |
|---|------------|--|---|--------|---|------|-----------|--------------------|----------------------|
| Common Stock | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 14,297 | I | See Footnote |
| Common Stock | 02/15/2005 | 02/15/2005 | J | 10,900 | D | \$0 | 166,152 | I | See Footnote (2) (7) |
| Common Stock | 02/15/2005 | 02/15/2005 | J | 10,900 | A | \$ 0 | 3,170,586 | I | See Footnote (5) (7) |
| Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. | | Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number. | | | | | | SEC 2270 (9-02) | |

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

| 1. Title of | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exerc | cisable and | 7. Title | and | 8. Price of |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------|------------|---------------|-------------|-----------|--------------|-------------|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transaction | Number | Expiration D | ate | Amoun | t of | Derivative |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | Year) | Underly | ying | Security |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e | | Securit | ies | (Instr. 5) |
| | Derivative | | | | Securities | | | (Instr. 3 | 3 and 4) | |
| | Security | | | | Acquired | | | | | |
| | | | | | (A) or | | | | | |
| | | | | | Disposed | | | | | |
| | | | | | of (D) | | | | | |
| | | | | | (Instr. 3, | | | | | |
| | | | | | 4, and 5) | | | | | |
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| | | | | | | | | | Amount | |
| | | | | | | Date | Expiration | | or Number | |
| | | | | | | Exercisable | Date | | of | |
| | | | | | (A) (D) | | | | | |
| | | | | | (A) (D) | | | | Shares | |

of D

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Reporting Owners

| Relationships | | | | | | |
|---------------|-----------|--------------------|----------------------------|--|--|--|
| Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| Â | ÂX | Â | Â | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | Director 10% Owner | Director 10% Owner Officer | | | |

**Signature of Reporting Person

Christine A. Shreve, 01/30/2006 Attorney-in-fact

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Date

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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) The proportionate interest of Roberta Bainum in shares (1,200,000) owned by Mid Pines.
- (2) Shares owned by the GRAT in which Ms. Bainum is the sole trustee and current beneficiary.
- (3) The proportionate interest of the Roberta Bainum Irrevocable Trust in shares (7,135,738) owned by Realty Investment Company, Inc. Ms. Bainum's brother is trustee and she is the beneficiary.
- (4) The proportionate interest of the Roberta Bainum Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated September 5, 1996, ("GRAT") the sole trustee of which is Ms. Bainum in shares (1,200,000) owned by Mid Pines Associates, L.P. ("Mid Pines").
- (5) Shares owned by the Roberta Bainum Irrevocable Trust. Ms. Bainum's brother is trustee and she is the beneficiary.
- (6) The proportionate interest of the Roberta Bainum Irrevocable Trust in shares (1,200,000) owned by Mid Pines. Ms. Bainum's brother is trustee and she is the beneficiary.
- (7) Ms. Bainum transferred shares from her GRAT to the Roberta Bainum Irrevocable Trust.
- (8) On October 21, 2005, the Common Stock of Choice Hotels International, Inc. split 2-for-1. This report reflects post-split amounts.

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