

RITE AID CORP  
Form 4  
April 04, 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**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SOKOLOFF JONATHAN D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

11111 SANTA MONICA  
BOULEVARD, SUITE 2000

(Street)

LOS ANGELES, CA 90025

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
RITE AID CORP [RAD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/31/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☐ 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. 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)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			

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)**

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)								
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title			Amount or Number of Shares
7% Series G Cumulative Convertible Pay-In-Kind Preferred	\$ 5.5	03/31/2006	J <sup>(1)</sup>		21,211		<sup>(3)</sup>	<sup>(4)</sup>	Common Stock			385,655 <sup>(5)</sup>
6% Series H Cumulative Convertible Pay-In-Kind Preferred	\$ 5.5	03/31/2006	J <sup>(2)</sup>		18,003		<sup>(3)</sup>	<sup>(4)</sup>	Common Stock			327,327 <sup>(5)</sup>

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SOKOLOFF JONATHAN D 11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD SUITE 2000 LOS ANGELES, CA 90025	X			
DANHAKL JOHN G 11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD SUITE 2000 LOS ANGELES, CA 90025	X			

## Signatures

/s/ Julia Chang, as Attorney-in-Fact for Jonathan D. Sokoloff

04/04/2006

Signature of Reporting Person

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) The 7% Series G Cumulative Convertible Pay-In-Kind Preferred Stock (the "Series G Preferred Stock") of Rite Aid Corporation (the "Issuer") pays an annual dividend of 7% in quarterly installments in the form of cash or additional shares of Series G Preferred Stock at the Issuer's election. This Form 4 is being filed to report the quarterly dividend paid on March 31, 2006 in the form of approximately 21,211 additional shares of Series G Preferred Stock.

- (2) The 6% Series H Cumulative Convertible Pay-In-Kind Preferred Stock (the "Series H Preferred Stock") of the Issuer pays an annual dividend of 6% in quarterly installments in the form of cash or additional shares of Series H Preferred Stock at the Issuer's election. This Form 4 is being filed to report the quarterly dividend paid on March 31, 2006 in the form of approximately 18,003 additional shares of Series H Preferred Stock.

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- (3) Immediately.
- (4) Not applicable.
- (5) The number of shares listed in Column 7 represents the approximate number of shares of common stock, par value \$1.00 per share, of the Issuer issuable upon conversion of the derivative securities reported in Column 5.

- Green Equity Investors III, L.P. ("GEI III") and Green Equity Investors Side III, L.P. ("GEI Side III") are the direct owners of the 1,233,282 shares of Series G Preferred Stock of the Issuer, as of March 31, 2006. GEI Side III is an affiliated fund of GEI III and invests
- (6) in tandem with GEI III. GEI Side III's investments represent less than 1% of the amount invested in each transaction. Messrs. Sokoloff and Danhaki are each a director of the Issuer and a managing partner of Leonard Green & Partners, L.P. ("LGP"), the management company of GEI III and GEI Side III.

- Messrs. Sokoloff and Danhaki directly (whether through ownership or position) or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, may be deemed for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, to be the indirect beneficial owner of the shares
- (7) owned by GEI III and GEI Side III. Messrs. Sokoloff and Danhaki each disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares reported herein except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein and this report shall not be deemed an admission that he is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (8) GEI III and GEI Side III are the direct owners of the 1,218,206 shares of Series H Preferred Stock of the Issuer, as of March 31, 2006.

### Remarks:

Exhibits

### 99.1 Joint Filer Information

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