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LEDSINGER CHARLES A JR Form 4 December 02, 2004 OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading LEDSINGER CHARLES A JR Issuer Symbol CHOICE HOTELS (Check all applicable) **INTERNATIONAL INC /DE [CHH]** (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction \_\_X\_ Director 10% Owner X\_Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 10750 COLUMBIA PIKE 11/30/2004 CEO & President (Street) 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 SILVER SPRING, MD 20901 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 3) anv Code Beneficially Form: Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) (Instr. 4) Following or Indirect Reported  $(\mathbf{I})$ (A) (Instr. 4) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common \$ 90,000 11/30/2004 Μ A 321,842 D Stock 12.53 Common 11/30/2004 S 90,000 \$51 231,842 D D Stock Common 11/30/2004 Μ 17,000 A 248,842 D 12.53 Stock Common 1,133 Ι 401(k) Stock Common Non-Qualified 1,300 I Stock Plan

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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 (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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	orDeri Secu Acq or D (D) (Inst	5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Emplyee Stock Option	\$ 12.53	11/30/2004		М		90,000	<u>(1)</u>	07/31/2008	Common Stock	90,000
Emplyee Stock Option	\$ 12.53	11/30/2004		М		17,000	(1)	07/31/2008	Common Stock	17,000

### **Reporting Owners**

<b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LEDSINGER CHARLES A JR 10750 COLUMBIA PIKE SILVER SPRING, MD 20901	Х		CEO & President				

## Signatures

Charles A. 12/02/2004 Ledsinger, Jr.

\*\*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) Exercisable in 5 equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of grant date.

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