

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <u>ALPERIN BARRY J</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O HENRY SCHEIN, INC.</u> <u>135 DURYEA ROAD</u> (Street) <u>MELVILLE NY 11747</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>HENRY SCHEIN INC [HSIC]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>12/16/2011</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/16/2011		M		10,000	A	\$20.41	30,178	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/16/2011		S		10,000	D	\$62.9 ⁽¹⁾	20,178	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/16/2011		M		5,000	A	\$20.41	25,178	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/16/2011		S		5,000	D	\$62.73 ⁽²⁾	20,178	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/16/2011		M		5,000	A	\$24.405	25,178	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/16/2011		S		5,000	D	\$62.72 ⁽³⁾	20,178	D	

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. 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽⁴⁾	\$20.41	12/16/2011		M			10,000	(5)	03/05/2012	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10,000	\$0.00	0	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽⁶⁾	\$20.41	12/16/2011		M			5,000	(5)	03/05/2012	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	5,000	\$0.00	0	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽⁴⁾	\$24.405	12/16/2011		M			5,000	(7)	06/05/2012	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	5,000	\$0.00	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- The price reflects a weighted average of sales made at prices ranging from \$62.77 to \$63.05 per share. The Reporting Person, upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price for this transaction.
- The price reflects a weighted average of sales made at prices ranging from \$62.68 to \$62.78 per share. The Reporting Person, upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price for this transaction.
- The price reflects a weighted average of sales made at prices ranging from \$62.68 to \$62.77 per share. The Reporting Person, upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price for this transaction.
- Acquired pursuant to the Issuer's 1996 Non-Employee Director Stock Incentive Plan, as amended.
- The option vested in three equal installments on each of March 5, 2003, March 5, 2004 and March 5, 2005.
- Acquired pursuant to the Issuer's 2001 Non-Employee Director Incentive Plan.
- The option vested in three equal installments on each of June 5, 2003, June 5, 2004 and June 5, 2005.

Remarks:

/s/ Barry J. Alperin

12/19/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* 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).

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