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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Harding James A.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O HENRY SCHEIN, INC., 135
DURYEA ROAD

(Street)

MELVILLE, NY 11747

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HENRY SCHEIN INC [HSIC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/03/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)

Chief Technology Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (Restricted) (1)	03/03/2008		A		3,756	A	\$ 0 9,927
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share						I	420
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share						I	356
							By children
							401(k)

value \$0.01
per share

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. 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$ 59.89	03/03/2008		A	17,254	⁽²⁾ 03/03/2018	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	17,254

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Harding James A. C/O HENRY SCHEIN, INC. 135 DURYEA ROAD MELVILLE, NY 11747			Chief Technology Officer	

Signatures

/s/ James A.
Harding
03/05/2008
Date
**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Acquired pursuant to the Issuer's 1994 Stock Incentive Plan.

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(2) The option vests in four equal installments on each of March 3, 2009, March 3, 2010 and March 3, 2011 and March 3, 2012.

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