REED COLIN V

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * REED COLIN V

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

GAYLORD ENTERTAINMENT CO /DE [GET]

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

11/05/2010

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

(Check all applicable) _X__ Director 10% Owner

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NASHVILLE, TN 37214

ONE GAYLORD DRIVE

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tab | le I - Non-l | Derivative | Secur | ities Acqui | red, Disposed of, | or Beneficiall | y Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|--------------|---------------|---|---------------------|-------------------|---|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | Pransaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | | 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or | | | 5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | 11/05/2010 | | Code V M | Amount 12,500 | (D) | Price \$ 25.25 | 511,702 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/05/2010 | | S | 12,500 (1) | D | \$ 34.424 (2) | 499,202 (3) | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 630 (4) | I | By Trust |

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed or (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) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 25.25 | 11/05/2010 | | M | 12,500 | 04/23/2005 | 04/23/2011 | Common Stock | 12,500 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|----------------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| REED COLIN V | | | | | | | |
| ONE GAYLORD DRIVE | X | | Chairman & CEO | | | | |
| NASHVILLE, TN 37214 | | | | | | | |

Signatures

Carter R. Todd, Attorney-in-Fact for Colin V.

Reed 11/09/2010

**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).
- This sale was effected according to instructions given in August 2010 by the reporting person pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan with respect to an option grant set to expire April 23, 2011.
- (2) Stock was sold in a price range of 34.22 to 34.61.

Includes 385,242 shares credited to Mr. Reed's SERP account, each of which is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock and payable solely in shares of common stock following termination of employment. Does not include 170,000 shares of common stock issuable upon the time-based vesting of restricted stock units, the vesting of which has been deferred by Mr. Reed. Does not include 136,500 shares of common stock issuable upon the vesting of performance-based restricted

- shares of common stock issuable upon the time-based vesting of restricted stock units, the vesting of which has been deferred by Mr. Reed. Does not include 136,500 shares of common stock issuable upon the vesting of performance-based restricted stock units granted on February 4, 2008. Does not include 54,500 shares of common stock issuable upon the vesting of time-based restricted stock units granted on February 3, 2010.
- (4) Held as Trustee for Samuel A. Reed Trust UA December 27, 2001.

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