

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

FORM 4

Statement of changes in beneficial ownership of securities

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ISSUER

CASEYS GENERAL STORES INC

CIK: **726958** | IRS No.: **420935283** | State of Incorporation: **IA** | Fiscal Year End: **0430**
SIC: **5500** Auto dealers & gasoline stations

Mailing Address
*PO BOX 3001
ANKENY IA 50026*

Business Address
*P.O. BOX 3001
ANKENY IA 50021
5152437611*

REPORTING OWNER

HAYNIE KENNETH H

CIK: **1198005**
Type: **4** | Act: **34** | File No.: **000-12788** | Film No.: **05790563**

Mailing Address
*100 COURT AVENUE SUITE
600
DES MOINES IA 50309*

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person HAYNIE KENNETH H			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CASEYS GENERAL STORES INC [CASY]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/01/2005		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check applicable line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person	
100 COURT AVENUE, SUITE 600			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			
(Street) DES MOINES 50309						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)				

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								2,000	I	As Trustee of Roscoe G. Haynie Family Trust (1)
Common Stock								48,662	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 of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Option - right to buy (2)	\$10.69							05/01/1996	05/01/2006	Common Stock	2,000	2,000	D	
Option - right to buy (2)	\$9.43							05/01/1997	05/01/2007	Common Stock	2,000	2,000	D	

Option - right to buy (2)	\$12.81						05/01/1998	05/01/2008	Common Stock	2,000		2,000	D	
Option - right to buy (2)	\$14.1						05/01/1999	05/01/2009	Common Stock	2,000		2,000	D	
Option - right to buy (2)	\$12.34						05/01/2000	05/01/2010	Common Stock	2,000		2,000	D	
Option - right to buy (2)	\$12.16						05/01/2001	05/01/2011	Common Stock	2,000		2,000	D	
Option - right to buy (2)	\$13.07						05/01/2002	05/01/2012	Common Stock	2,000		2,000	D	
Option - right to buy (2)	\$11.86						05/01/2003	05/01/2013	Common Stock	2,000		2,000	D	
Option - right to buy (2)	\$15.8						05/01/2004	05/01/2014	Common Stock	2,000		2,000	D	
Option - right to buy (2)	\$17.64	05/01/2005	05/01/2005	<u>A</u>		2,000	05/01/2005	05/01/2015	Common Stock	2,000	\$ 0	2,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. As Trustee, Mr. Haynie has sole voting and dispositive power over the shares held by the Roscoe G. Haynie Family Trust. Mr Haynie also is a contingent beneficiary of said trust.
2. (2) Pursuant to terms of Non-Employee Directors Stock Option Plan

Signatures

William J. Noth, under power of attorney dated 9/2/02

** Signature of Reporting Person

05/02/2005

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).

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