FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Benjamin Gerald A. (Last) (First) (Middle) c/o Henry Schein, Inc. 135 Duryea Rd. (Street) (Street) Melville New York 11747 (City) (State) (Zip)	 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Henry Schein, Inc. (HSIC) 3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary) 	 4. Statement for Month/Day/Year February 25, 2003 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year) 	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director X Officer (give title below) 10% Owner Other (specify below) Executive Vice President and Chief Administrative Officer 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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Table I — Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/		any (Month/Day/	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acq (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		osed of (D)	Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		
(Instr. 3)		Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)

Table II — Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

				4. Transaction Code		Disposed of (D)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			9. Number of	10. Ownership Form of	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/ Year)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Derivative Securities: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Stock Option (Right to buy) (1)	\$38.84	2/25/03		A		25,000		(2)	2/25/13	Common Stock	25,000		25,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

 Acquired pursuant to the Issuer's 1994 Stock Option Plan.
 Pursuant to the terms of the stock option agreement between the Issuer and the Reporting Person, the option becomes exercisable in three (3) equal annual installments beginning on the first (1st) anniversary of the grant date specified in Column 3.

/s/ Gerald A. Benjamin ** Signature of Reporting Person

February 27, 2003 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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