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U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

FORM 5

ANNUAL 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(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

[_]	Check box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction $1(b)$.								
[_]	Form 3 Holdings Reported								
[_]	Form 4 Transactions Repo	rted							
1.	Name and Address of Repo	rting Person*							
	Alperin	Barry			J.				
(Last)	(First)		(Mi	ddle)				
	c/o Henry Schein, Inc. 135 Duryea Rd.								
		(Street)							
	Melville	New York		1	1747				
(City)	(State)			Zip)				
2.	Issuer Name and Ticker o	r Trading Symbol							
	Henry Schein, Inc. (HSIC	:)							
3.	IRS Identification Numbe	r of Reporting Pe	rson,	if an Ent	ity (Vo	luntary)			
4.	Statement for Month/Year								
	Fiscal year ended Decemb	er 28, 2002							
5.	If Amendment, Date of Or	iginal (Month/Yea	ır)						
6.	Relationship of Reportin (Check all applicable)	g Person to Issue	r						
	<pre>[X] Director [_] Officer (give title</pre>	, halau)		10% Owner Other (sp		01011			
	[_] Officer (give title	e below)	L_J	other (sp	ectry b	elow)			
7.	Individual or Joint/Grou (Check applicable line)	p Filing							
	<pre>[X] Form filed by one Reporting Person [_] Form filed by more than one Reporting Person</pre>								
	Table I Non-Der	ivative Securitie or Beneficially O	s Acq wned	uired, Dis	posed o	f,			
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2A.

Transaction

Date

(Month/

Day/Year)

1. Title of

Security (Instr. 3) Deemed

Execution

Transaction

(Instr. 8)

Code

Date, if

Day/Year)

any (Month/ Amount of

Securities

Beneficially

Owned at End of Issuer's

Fiscal Year (Instr. 3

and 4)

Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Amount

(A) or

(D)

Price

Owner-

Nature of

Indirect

Ownership

Bene-

ficial

(Instr.4) (Instr.4)

ship

Form:

Direct

(D) or

(I)

Indirect

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*	If the form is filed by more than one Reporting Person, see Instruction $4(b)(v)$.
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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	2. Conver- sion or Exer- cise Price of Deriv-	3. Trans- action Date	Date, if T	action	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) Amount or		8. Price of Deriv-	9. Number of Deriv- ative Secur- ities Bene- ficially Owned at End of	10. Owner- ship of Deriv- ative Secur- ity: Direct (D) or In- direct	11. Nature of In- direct Bene- ficial Owner-
Derivative Security	Secur-	Day/	(Month/ Day/	(Instr.				tion		Number of	(Ínstr.	Year (Instr.		ship (Instr.
(Instr. 3)	ity 	Year)	Year)	8)	(A)	(D)	cisable 	Date	Title	Shares	5)	4) 	4)	4)
Stock Optio (right to buy)(1)	\$40.82	3/5/02		Α	5,000		(3)	3/5/12	Common Stock	5,000		5,000	D	
Stock Optio (right to buy)(2)	on \$40.82	3/5/02		A	2,500		(3)	3/5/12	Common Stock	2,500		2,500	D	
Stock Optio (right to buy)(1)		6/5/02		A	2,500		(3)	6/5/12	Common Stock	2,500		2,500	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- Acquired pursuant to the Issuer's 1996 Non-Employee Director Stock Option Plan.
- (2) Acquired pursuant to the Issuer's 2001 Non-Employee Director Stock Option Plan.
- (3) 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/ Barry J. Alperin	February 11, 2003				
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date				

See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this form, one of which must be manually signed. If space provided is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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