FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] BERMAN STEPHEN G | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>JAKKS PACIFIC INC</u> [JAKK] | | tionship of Reporting Per all applicable) Director Officer (give title | rson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify |
|---|---------------|----------------|--|------------------------|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O JAKKS PACIFIC, INC. 22619 PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2005 | | below) Chief Op. Off., P | below) res. & Sec. |
| (Street) MALIBU (City) | CA (State) | 90265 (Zip) | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv Line) X | vidual or Joint/Group Filin Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More tha Person | porting Person |

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. Transa Code (8) | | 4. Securities Ac Disposed Of (D) | | | Securities Beneficially | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
|---------------------------------|--|---|------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|----------------------------|---|---|
| | | | Code V Amount (A) or Price T | | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) | | | |
| Common Stock | 01/01/2005 | | Α | | 120,000 ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ | Α | \$22.11 ⁽³⁾ | 480,000 | 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. Transa Code (8) | | of | | 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: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|-----|-----|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Options | \$16.25 | | | | | | | (4) | 07/11/2007 | Common Stock | 175,000 | | 175,000 | D | |
| Options | \$7.875 | | | | | | | (5) | 06/22/2006 | Common Stock | 18,955 | | 18,955 | D | |
| Options | \$7.875 | | | | | | | (6) | 09/15/2005 | Common Stock | 107,991 | | 107,991 | D | |
| Options | \$7.875 | | | | | | | (7) | 08/12/2005 | Common Stock | 55,308 | | 55,308 | D | |
| Options | \$7.875 | | | | | | | (8) | 02/09/2005 | Common Stock | 93,784 | | 93,784 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Such 120,000 shares were issued pursuant to the terms of Holder's 1/1/03 Employment Agreement with the Issuer and are further subject to the terms of that certain January 1, 2005 Restricted Stock Award Agreement (the "Agreement") by and between the Holder and the Issuer. The Agreement provides that the Holder will forfeit his rights to all 120,000 shares unless certain conditions precedent are met prior to January 1, 2006, including the condition that the Issuer's Pre-Tax Income (as defined in the Agreement) for 2005 exceeds \$2,000,000, whereupon the forfeited shares will become authorized but unissued shares of the Issuer's common stock.

2. The Agreement prohibits the Holder from selling, assigning, transferring, pledging or otherwise encumbering (a) 60,000 of the 120,000 shares prior to January 1, 2006 and (b) the remaining 60,000 shares prior to January 1, 2007; provided, however, that if the Issuer's Pre-Tax Income for 2005 exceeds \$2,000,000 and the Issuer's Adjusted EPS Growth (as defined in the Agreement) for 2005 increases by certain percentages as set forth in the Agreement, the vesting of some or all of the 60,000 shares that would otherwise vest on January 1, 2007 will be accelerated to the date the Adjusted EPS Growth is determined. 3. Represents the closing price of the Issuer's common stock on 12/31/2004, as reported by Nasdaq.

4. This option is immediately exercisable, except as follows: 26,250 shares became exercisable on 7/12/03, 26,250 shares became exercisable on 7/12/04, 43,750 shares became exercisable on 7/12/05 and 52,500 shares become exercisable on 7/12/06.

5. This option is immediately exercisable, except as follows: 2,843 shares became exercisable on 6/23/03, 4,739 shares became exercisable on 6/23/04 and 5,687 shares became exercisable on 6/23/05.

6. This option is immediately exercisable, except as follows: 26,998 shares became exercisable on 9/15/03, and 32,396 shares become exercisable on 9/15/04.

7. This option is immediately exercisable, except as follows: 13,827 shares became exercisable on 8/12/03, and 16,593 shares become exercisable on 8/12/04.

8. This option is immediately exercisable, except as follows: 41,629 shares become exercisable on 2/9/04.

/s/ Stephen G. Berman

** Signature of Reporting Person

01/04/2005 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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