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#### Form 4

#### November 08, 2001

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 FORM 4 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

( ) Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.

Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person

Way, Charles D. 405 Lancaster Avenue Greer, SC 29650

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Ryan's Family Steak Houses, Inc.

- 3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary) 247-78-4567
- 4. Statement for Month/Year October 31, 2001
- 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
- 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) (X) Director ( ) 10% Owner (X) Officer (give title below) ( ) Other (specify below)

Chairman, President & CEO

- 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
  - (X) Form filed by One Reporting Person
  - ( ) Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I Non-Derivati	ve Securities Acquired, Disposed	d of, or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1. Title of Security	2.  3.  4.Securities P    Transaction   or Disposed	of (D)	5.Amount of   Securities   Beneficially   Owned at   End of Month	     
Common Stock	10/29/ M    30,000	A  \$10.3125	I I	
Common Stock	10/29/ F    21,700  01	D  \$18.05 	100,390 	
	1 1 1	 	10,380	 

Table II Derivative Securitites Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Derivative	2.Con-	3.	4.	5.Numbe	r of De	6.Date Exer 7	.Title and Amo	ount  8.1
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	•				   Amount		cisa-  ble		•	Shares	1
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)					•					Stock 30,000	

Explanation of Responses: SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON /s/Charles D. Way DATE November 8, 2001