FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| Name and Address of Reporting Person*     CONFORTITHOMAS G   |  |  |        |                                   | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol HOP CORP [ IHP ] |   |   |   |   |             |  |        |                                | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issu (Check all applicable)     Director 10% Own |   |   |  |                         |   |  |  |
|--|--|--|--------|-----------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|-------------|--|--------|--------------------------------|---|---|---|--|-------------------------|---|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle)  |  |  |        |                                   |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/04/2007 |   |   |   |             |  |        |                                |   | Office  | •   |  | Other (specify below)   |   |  |  |
| 450 N. BRAND BOULEVARD - FLR 7   |  |  |        |                                   |   |   |   |   |   |             |  |        |                                |   |   | Cl  | FO   |                         |   |  |  |
| (Street)   |  |  |        |                                   | 4. If A   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)    |   |   |   |             |  |        |                                |   |   | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person |  |                         |   |  |  |
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| (City)   | (Sta   | ate) (Z                                    | Zip)   |                                   |   |   |   |   |   |             |  |        |                                |   | Person  |   |  |                         |   |  |  |
|  | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |  |        |                                   |   |   |   |   |   |             |  |        |                                |   |   |   |  |                         |   |  |  |
| D  |  |  |        | 2. Transact<br>Date<br>(Month/Day | Year) Exe   |   | A. Deemed<br>xecution Date,<br>any<br>Month/Day/Year) |   | Transaction<br>Code (Instr.                 |             | 4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. and 5)  |        |                                | 3, 4 Secur<br>Bene<br>Owne  |   | cially<br>I   | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I) |                         | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |  |  |
|  |  |  |        |                                   |   |   | Code  | v | Amoun                                       | t (A)       | or P   | Price  |                                |   | (Instr. 4)  |   | (Instr. 4)   |                         |   |  |  |
| Common   | Stock  |  |        |                                   |   |   |   |   |   |             |  | 2      | 215(1)                         | ]   | I   | See<br>Footnote   |  |                         |   |  |  |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |  |  |        |                                   |   |   |   |   |   |             |  |        |                                |   |   |   |  |                         |   |  |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)  | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security            | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | if any | on Date,                          | 4.<br>Transac<br>Code (Ir<br>8)                                     |   | tion Number I   |   | 6. Date Exer<br>Expiration I<br>(Month/Day/ |             | nd 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative<br>Security (Instr.<br>and 4) |        | of<br>D<br>Sc<br>(I)           | Price<br>f<br>erivative<br>ecurity<br>nstr. 5)  | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownership<br>Form:<br>y Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr.<br>4)                            |  | Beneficial<br>Ownership |   |  |  |
|  |  |  |        |                                   | Code  | v   |   |   | Date<br>Exercisable                         | Exp<br>Date | iration  | Title  | Amo<br>or<br>Num<br>of<br>Shar | ber   |   |   |  |                         |   |  |  |
| Options  | (2)  |  |        |                                   |   |   |   |   | (2)   |             | (2)  | Common | (2)                            | )   |   | 61,667  |  | D                       |   |  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock  | (3)  |  |        |                                   |   |   |   |   | (3)   |             | (3)  | Common | (3)                            | )   |   | 3,800   |  | D                       |   |  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock  | (4)  | 09/04/2007                                 |        | Ì                                 | A   |   | 2,500   |   | (4)   |             | (4)  | Common | 2,50                           | 00  | (4)   | 2,500   |  | D                       |   |  |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock  | (5)  | 10/25/2007                                 |        | Ì                                 | A   |   | 8,500   |   | (5)   |             | (5)  | Common | 8,50                           | 00  | (5)   | 8,500   |  | D                       |   |  |  |
| Performance<br>Shares  | (6)  |  |        |                                   |   |   |   |   | (6)   |             | (6)  | Common | (6)                            | )   |   | 2,500   |  | D                       |   |  |  |
| Performance<br>Shares  | (7)  | 10/09/2007                                 |        |                                   | A   |   | 2,500   |   | (7)   |             | (7)  | Common | 2,50                           | 00  | (7)   | 2,500   |  | D                       |   |  |  |

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares held in the IHOP Corp. 401(k) plan.
- 2. Employee Stock Options granted pursuant to IHOP Corp. 2001 Stock Incentive Plan.
- 3. Grant of Restricted Stock pursuant to IHOP Corp. 2001 Stock Incentive Plan. These shares vest in full on March 1, 2009.
- 4. Grant of Restricted Stock pursuant to IHOP Corp. 2001 Incentive Plan. These shares vest in full on February 20, 2010.
- 5. Grant of Restricted Stock pursuant to IHOP Corp. 2001 Incentive Plan. These shares vest after the closing date of the Applebee's Acquisition in increments of 25% of shares after the 6 months, 25% of shares after the 12 months and 50% of shares after 24 months.
- 6. Performance shares awarded under the IHOP Corp. 2001 Stock Incentive Plan. The award vests on January 1, 2008, for a percentage (0% to 150%) of the performance shares awarded based, in part, upon the Issuer's total shareholder return compared to the total shareholder return of a selected peer group and, in part, on the Issuer's generation of aggregate net cash flow from operations, as compared to pre-determined targets. Performance shares are payable one-half in cash and one-half in shares of the Issuer's Common Stock. The amount set forth in Column 5 represents the one-half portion of the award payable in shares of the Issuer's common Stock.

7. Performance shares awarded under the IHOP Corp. 2001 Stock Incentive Plan. The award vests on January 1, 2010, for a percentage (0% to 150%) of the performance shares awarded based, in part, upon the Issuer's total shareholder return compared to the total shareholder return of a selected peer group and, in part, on the Issuer's generation of aggregate net cash flow from operations, as compared to pre-determined targets. Performance shares are payable one-half in cash and one-half in shares of the Issuer's Common Stock. The amount set forth in Column 5 represents the one-half portion of the award payable in shares of the Issuer's common stock.

<u>Thomas G. Conforti</u> <u>10/25/2007</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Da

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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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