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FORM 4

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1(b).

Common

Stock

01/07/2013(1)

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Wilson John G | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ISLE OF CAPRI CASINOS INC [ISLE] | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|---------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|---------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------|--|
| (Last) | (First) | Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) | | | Director _X_ Officer (give | | | |
| 600 EMERSON ROAD, STE. 300 | | | 01/07/20 | 013 | | below) below) Chief Development Officer | | | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Ame | ndment, Da | te Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | |
| | | | Filed(Mon | th/Day/Year |) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by | | | |
| ST LOUIS | , MO 63141 | | | | | Form filed by M Person | More than One Re | porting | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table | e I - Non-D | Perivative Securities Acq | uired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficial | ly Owned | |
| 1.Title of Security | 2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year) | | med on Date, if | 3. Transactio | 4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) | 5. Amount of Securities | 6. Ownership Form: Direct | 7. Nature o | |
| (Instr. 3) | any | | , | Code | (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | Beneficially | (D) or | Beneficial | |
| | | (Month/ | Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | | Owned | Indirect (I) | Ownership | |
| | | | | | | Following Reported | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | (A) | T () | | | |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

D

20,000

or

(D)

Price

Amount

20,000

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

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| 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/ | ate | 7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and | Securities |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Restricted Stock Units (Performance Award) | (2) | 01/07/2013 | | A | 81,818 | (2) | (2) | Common Stock | 81,818 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|--------------------------------|---------------|
|--------------------------------|---------------|

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Wilson John G 600 EMERSON ROAD STE. 300 ST LOUIS, MO 63141

Chief Development Officer

Signatures

/s/ John G. Wilson 01/09/2013

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) These restricted stock units (RSU) vest 33.3% per year beginning 01/07/2014 over a 3-year period.

Performance-based restricted stock units ("RSUs") awarded pursuant to the Isle of Capri Casinos, Inc. Amended and Restated 2009 Long-Term Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of Company common stock at the end of the measurement period (January 7, 2013 to April 26, 2015). The number of RSUs that may be earned shall be determined at the end of the measurement period based on the average of the closing market prices of the Company's common stock for the ninety (90) calendar-day period ending on April 26, 2015, and is further contingent upon the Company achieving a threshold level of total

shareholder return over the measurement period relative to certain other regional gaming companies. The number of RSUs that may be earned are as follows: 28,125 RSUs at the threshold level; 81,818 RSUs at the target level; and 128,571 RSUs at the maximum level. If the share price does not reach the threshold level, none of the RSUs will be earned and such unearned RSUs will expire at the end of the measurement period. Assuming that the participant remains employed at the end of the measurement period, fifty percent (50%) of the RSUs shall become immediately vested as of the last day of the measurement period (April 26, 2015) and the remaining fifty percent (50%) of the RSUs shall become vested one-year thereafter (April 26, 2016). All RSUs that have vested shall be issued within sixty (60) days of vesting. Other provisions apply in the event of death, disability, retirement, termination without cause and change of control.

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