

SOTHEBYS HOLDINGS INC

Form 4

April 04, 2005

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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Section 16.  
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See Instruction  
1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
ZUCKERMAN MITCHELL

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
SOTHEBYS HOLDINGS INC  
[BID]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
38500 WOODWARD  
AVENUE, SUITE 100  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/31/2005

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
President, Soth. Financ'l. Serv

BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48304

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Class A Ltd. Voting Common Stock	03/31/2005		C		8,425	A	11 8,425
						D	

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

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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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Class B Common Stock	<u>(1)</u>	03/31/2005		F	4,466	03/31/2005 <sup>(2)</sup>	<sup>(3)</sup> Class A Ltd. Voting Common Stock	4,466
Class B Common Stock	<u>(1)</u>	03/31/2005		C	8,425	<sup>(1)</sup>	<sup>(1)</sup> Class A Ltd. Voting Common Stock	8,425

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
ZUCKERMAN MITCHELL 38500 WOODWARD AVENUE SUITE 100 BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48304	President, Soth. Financ. Serv

## Signatures

/s/ Mitchell  
Zuckerman 03/31/2005

                     \*\*Signature of Reporting Person  
Date

## 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) The Issuer's Class B Common Stock is freely convertible into the Issuer's Class A Limited Voting Common Stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (2) Date of Lapse of restrictions applicable to Restricted Stock
- (3) Not Applicable

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