

Hartung Jack
Form 4
January 25, 2012

FORM 4

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

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Hartung Jack

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
CHIPOTLE MEXICAN GRILL INC
[CMG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1401 WYNKOOP STREET, SUITE
500

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/23/2012

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
Chief Financial Officer

(Street)
DENVER, CO 80202

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
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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 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock	01/23/2012		M ⁽¹⁾		5,000	A	\$ 102.65	24,782 D
Common Stock	01/23/2012		D ⁽¹⁾		1,424	D	\$ 360.46	23,358 D
Common Stock	01/24/2012		S ⁽¹⁾		3,576	D	\$ 358.53	19,782 D
Common Stock								148 I
								By minor children

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 Acquired (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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
2008 Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 102.65	01/23/2012		M ⁽¹⁾	5,000	02/20/2011 02/20/2015	Common Stock	5,000
2009 Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 53.36					02/17/2012 02/17/2016	Common Stock	27,000
2010 Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 103.79					02/16/2012 ⁽²⁾ 02/16/2017	Common Stock	50,000
2011 Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 268.73					02/11/2013 ⁽³⁾ 02/11/2018	Common Stock	25,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hartung Jack 1401 WYNKOOP STREET, SUITE 500 DENVER, CO 80202			Chief Financial Officer	

Signatures

/s/ Jack Hartung 01/25/2012

**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) These stock appreciation rights exercises and sales were executed under the terms of a Sales Plan intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

(2) 25,000 of the 2010 Stock Appreciation Rights vest on 2/16/2013.

(3) 12,500 of the 2011 Stock Appreciation Rights vest on 2/11/2014.

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