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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person **
Martin John

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading

Issuer

Symbol

RARE HOSPITALITY
INTERNATIONAL INC [RARE]

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

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

____ Director ____ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title _X_ Other (specify below)

8215 ROSWELL

05/25/2006

Vice President / President-Capital Grille

ROAD, BUILDING 600

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

ATLANTA, GA 30350

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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)	omr Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (A) or	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)
Common Stock	05/25/2006		Code V M	Amount 7,000	(D)	Price \$ 8.1111		D	
Common Stock	05/25/2006		S	1,500	D	\$ 31.5687	13,852	D	
Common Stock	05/25/2006		S	3,000	D	\$ 31.5	10,852	D	
Common Stock	05/25/2006		S	1,500	D	\$ 31.8	9,352	D	
Common Stock	05/25/2006		S	1,000	D	\$ 32	8,352	D	

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

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

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6. Date Exercisable and

5. Number

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7. Title and Amour

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

Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Share
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.1111	05/25/2006		M	7,000	03/13/2005	03/13/2010	Common Stock	7,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Martin John

1. Title of

8215 ROSWELL ROAD

BUILDING 600 Vice President President-Capital Grille

ATLANTA, GA 30350

Signatures

John Martin, by Joia M. Johnson, Attorney-in-Fact 05/26/2006

**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).

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