

TRUMP ENTERTAINMENT RESORTS, INC.

Form 3

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SECURITIES**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting
Person *

Â Santoro Richard M

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring
Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

02/24/2006

3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol

TRUMP ENTERTAINMENT RESORTS, INC. [TRMP]

4. Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer5. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner☒ Officer ☐ Other

(give title below) (specify below)

EVP, Asset

Protection&RiskMgmt

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line)

☒ Form filed by One Reporting
Person☐ Form filed by More than One
Reporting Person

C/O TRUMP

ENTERTAINMENT RESORTS,

INC.,Â 1000 BOARDWALK

AT VIRGINIA AVENUE

(Street)

ATLANTIC CITY,Â NJÂ 08401

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)2. Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)3. Ownership
Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share 2,475 ⁽¹⁾

D Â

Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share 1

I By Son

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

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currently valid OMB control number.****Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date <small>(Month/Day/Year)</small>		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Common Stock Warrant (right to buy)	05/20/2005	05/22/2006	Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	40	\$ 14.6	I	By Son

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Santoro Richard M C/O TRUMP ENTERTAINMENT RESORTS, INC. 1000 BOARDWALK AT VIRGINIA AVENUE ATLANTIC CITY, NJ 08401	Â	Â	Â EVP, Asset Protection&RiskMgmt	Â

Signatures

/s/ Richard M.
Santoro

03/01/2006

****Signature of
Reporting Person**

Date _____

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Restricted Stock Award granted under the Trump Entertainment Resorts, Inc. 2005 Incentive Award Plan and vesting in one-third increments on each of January 30, 2007, 2008 and 2009.

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