

MATHEWSON CHARLES N
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 MATHEWSON CHARLES N

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 GRILL CONCEPTS INC [GRIL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 9295 PROTOTYPE DRIVE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/06/2009

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

RENO, NV 89502
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/06/2009		P	98,017 A	\$ 0.2597 963,294	D (1)	
Common Stock	01/07/2009		P	30,000 A	\$ 0.5137 993,294	D (1)	

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)

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Each share of Series C Convertible Preferred Stock is convertible into 250 shares of Common Stock based on a face value of \$1,000 per share and a conversion price of \$4.00 per share.

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