

PURCEL DIANA G
Form 4
September 15, 2008

FORM 4

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PURCEL DIANA G

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
FAMOUS DAVES OF AMERICA
INC [DAVE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O FAMOUS DAVE'S OF
AMERICA, INC., 12701
WHITEWATER DRIVE, SUITE
200

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
09/11/2008

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
CFO & Secretary

(Street)
MINNETONKA, MN 55343

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$.01 par value				(A) or (D)	14,196 ⁽¹⁾	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 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option	\$ 5.05					(2) 11/18/2013	Common Stock, \$.01 par value 30,000
Employee Stock Option	\$ 6.15					(3) 02/18/2014	Common Stock, \$.01 par value 20,000
Restricted Stock Units	(4)	09/11/2008		A	25,000	(5) (5)	Common Stock 25,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PURCEL DIANA G C/O FAMOUS DAVE'S OF AMERICA, INC. 12701 WHITEWATER DRIVE, SUITE 200 MINNETONKA, MN 55343			CFO & Secretary	

Signatures

/s/ Diana G.
Purcel 09/15/2008

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) Includes 2,000 shares held in self-directed IRA and 500 shares held jointly with spouse.
- (2) 6,000 shares each vest on 11/18/04, 11/18/05, 11/18/06, 11/18/07 and 11/18/08.
- (3) 5,000 shares each vest on 2/18/05, 2/18/06, 2/18/07 and 2/18/08.

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- (4) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's Common Stock.
- (5) The restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on 9/11/2011. Vested shares will be delivered to the Reporting Person upon the termination date of her employment with the Company.

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