Form 5500

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan

This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6047(e), 6057(b), and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

▶ **Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.**

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Part I Annual Report Identification Information

For calendar plan year 2011 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2011 and ending 12/31/2011

A This return/report is for:
- [ ] a multiemployer plan;
- [ ] a multiple-employer plan; or
- [X] a single-employer plan;
- [ ] a DFE (specify) ____

B This return/report is:
- [ ] the first return/report;
- [ ] the final return/report;
- [X] an amended return/report;
- [ ] a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months).

C If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here. . . . . ▶ [ ]

D Check box if filing under:
- [X] Form 5558;
- [ ] automatic extension;
- [ ] the DFVC program;
- [ ] special extension (enter description)

Part II Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information

1a Name of plan
CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC. 401(K) PLAN

1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

1c Effective date of plan 06/01/1992

2a Plan sponsor's name and address, including room or suite number (Employer, if for single-employer plan)

CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC.

4300 W. CYPRESS ST., SUITE 600
TAMPA, FL 33607-4157

2b Employer Identification Number (EIN)
58-1654960

2c Sponsor's telephone number
813-283-7004

2d Business code (see instructions)
722210

Caution: A penalty for the late or incomplete filing of this return/report will be assessed unless reasonable cause is established.

Under penalties of perjury and other penalties set forth in the instructions, I declare that I have examined this return/report, including accompanying schedules, statements and attachments, as well as the electronic version of this return/report, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/05/2012	SUSAN MCBRIDE
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/05/2012	SUSAN MCBRIDE
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

3a Plan administrator's name and address (if same as plan sponsor, enter "Same")
CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC.

4300 W. CYPRESS ST., SUITE 600
TAMPA, FL 33607-4157

3b Administrator's EIN
58-1654960

3c Administrator's telephone number
813-283-7004

4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the name, EIN and the plan number from the last return/report:

a Sponsor's name

4b EIN

4c PN

5	Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	**5**	3120
6	Number of participants as of the end of the plan year (welfare plans complete only lines **6a, 6b, 6c,** and **6d**).		
a	Active participants	**6a**	2651
b	Retired or separated participants receiving benefits	**6b**	0
c	Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits	**6c**	86
d	Subtotal. Add lines **6a**, **6b**, and **6c**	**6d**	2737
e	Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits	**6e**	0
f	Total. Add lines **6d** and **6e**	**6f**	2737
g	Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	**6g**	169
h	Number of participants that terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested	**6h**	0
7	Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item)	**7**	

8a If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions:
2E 2F 2G 2J 2K 3D

b If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions:

9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)

(1)	X	Insurance
(2)		Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
(3)	X	Trust
(4)		General assets of the sponsor

9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)

(1)	X	Insurance
(2)		Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
(3)	X	Trust
(4)		General assets of the sponsor

10 Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)

a Pension Schedules

(1)	X	**R** (Retirement Plan Information)
(2)		**MB** (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
(3)		**SB** (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary

b General Schedules

(1)	X		**H** (Financial Information)
(2)			**I** (Financial Information – Small Plan)
(3)	X	1	**A** (Insurance Information)
(4)	X		**C** (Service Provider Information)
(5)	X		**D** (DFE/Participating Plan Information)
(6)			**G** (Financial Transaction Schedules)

SCHEDULE A (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Insurance Information

This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**

▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).

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For calendar plan year 2011 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2011 and ending 12/31/2011

A Name of plan
CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC. 401(K) PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC.

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
58-1654960

Part I **Information Concerning Insurance Contract Coverage, Fees, and Commissions** Provide information for each contract on a separate Schedule A. Individual contracts grouped as a unit in Parts II and III can be reported on a single Schedule A.

1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
JOHN HANCOCK USA

(b) EIN	(c) NAIC code	(d) Contract or identification number	(e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year (f) From	Policy or contract year (g) To
01-0233346	65838	83218	169	01/01/2011	12/31/2011

2 Insurance fee and commission information. Enter the total fees and total commissions paid. List in item 3 the agents, brokers, and other persons in descending order of the amount paid.

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	(b) Total amount of fees paid
6143	15

3 Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons).

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid
NORTHWESTERN MUTUAL INVESTMENT SERV
13065 N. TELECOM PKWY
TEMPLE TERRACE, FL 33637

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid (c) Amount	Fees and other commissions paid (d) Purpose	(e) Organization code
6143	0		3

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid
EXECUTIVE TAX BENEFITS OF FLORIDA
13065 N. TELECOM PKWY
TEMPLE TERRACE, FL 33637

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid (c) Amount	Fees and other commissions paid (d) Purpose	(e) Organization code
0	15	TPA ROLL-OVER PAYMENT	5

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		**(e)** Organization code
	(c) Amount	**(d)** Purpose	

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(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		**(e)** Organization code
	(c) Amount	**(d)** Purpose	

Part II Investment and Annuity Contract Information

Where individual contracts are provided, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

4	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	4	1413
5	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end	5	1858875

6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:

a State the basis of premium rates ▶

b	Premiums paid to carrier	6b	0
c	Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year	6c	0
d	If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount.	6d	0

Specify nature of costs ▶

e Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity

(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶

f If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan check here ▶ ☐

7 Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)

a Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee

(3) ☒ guaranteed investment (4) ☐ other ▶

b	Balance at the end of the previous year			7b	7675
c	Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	7c(1)	35		
	(2) Dividends and credits	7c(2)	0		
	(3) Interest credited during the year	7c(3)	13		
	(4) Transferred from separate account	7c(4)	0		
	(5) Other (specify below)	7c(5)	0		
	▶				
	(6) Total additions			7c(6)	48
d	Total of balance and additions (add **b** and **c(6)**).			7d	7723
e	Deductions:				
	(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	7e(1)	0		
	(2) Administration charge made by carrier	7e(2)	2		
	(3) Transferred to separate account	7e(3)	6302		
	(4) Other (specify below)	7e(4)	6		
	▶ MARKET VALUE ADJUSTMENT				
	(5) Total deductions			7e(5)	6310
f	Balance at the end of the current year (subtract **e(5)** from **d**)			7f	1413

Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information

If more than one contract covers the same group of employees of the same employer(s) or members of the same employee organizations(s), the information may be combined for reporting purposes if such contracts are experience-rated as a unit. Where contracts cover individual employees, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

a ☐ Health (other than dental or vision) **b** ☐ Dental **c** ☐ Vision **d** ☐ Life insurance

e ☐ Temporary disability (accident and sickness) **f** ☐ Long-term disability **g** ☐ Supplemental unemployment **h** ☐ Prescription drug

i ☐ Stop loss (large deductible) **j** ☐ HMO contract **k** ☐ PPO contract **l** ☐ Indemnity contract

m ☐ Other (specify) ▶

9 Experience-rated contracts:				
a Premiums: (1) Amount received	**9a(1)**			
(2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid	**9a(2)**			
(3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve	**9a(3)**			
(4) Earned (**(1)** + **(2)** - **(3)**)			**9a(4)**	
b Benefit charges (1) Claims paid	**9b(1)**			
(2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves	**9b(2)**			
(3) Incurred claims (add **(1)** and **(2)**)			**9b(3)**	
(4) Claims charged			**9b(4)**	
c Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --				
(A) Commissions	**9c(1)(A)**			
(B) Administrative service or other fees	**9c(1)(B)**			
(C) Other specific acquisition costs	**9c(1)(C)**			
(D) Other expenses	**9c(1)(D)**			
(E) Taxes	**9c(1)(E)**			
(F) Charges for risks or other contingencies	**9c(1)(F)**			
(G) Other retention charges	**9c(1)(G)**			
(H) Total retention			**9c(1)(H)**	
(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were ☐ paid in cash, or ☐ credited.)			**9c(2)**	
d Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement			**9d(1)**	
(2) Claim reserves			**9d(2)**	
(3) Other reserves			**9d(3)**	
e Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in **c(2)**.)			**9e**	
10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:				
a Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier			**10a**	
b If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, item 2 above, report amount.			**10b**	

Specify nature of costs ▶

Part IV Provision of Information

11 Did the insurance company fail to provide any information necessary to complete Schedule A? ☐ Yes ☐ No

12 If the answer to line 11 is "Yes," specify the information not provided. ▶

SCHEDULE C (Form 5500)	Service Provider Information	OMB No. 1210-0110
Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**	**2011** **This Form is Open to Public Inspection.**

For calendar plan year 2011 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2011 and ending 12/31/2011

A Name of plan CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC. 401(K) PLAN	**B** Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC.	**D** Employer Identification Number (EIN) 58-1654960

Part I Service Provider Information (see instructions)

You must complete this Part, in accordance with the instructions, to report the information required for **each person** who received, directly or indirectly, $5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of monetary value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or the person's position with the plan during the plan year. If a person received **only** eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures, you are required to answer line 1 but are not required to include that person when completing the remainder of this Part.

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

a Check "Yes" or "No" to indicate whether you are excluding a person from the remainder of this Part because they received only eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures (see instructions for definitions and conditions).. . . . . [X] Yes [ ] No

b If you answered line 1a "Yes," enter the name and EIN or address of each person providing the required disclosures for the service providers who received only eligible indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed (see instructions).

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

JOHN HANCOCK USA

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2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation. Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, $5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

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(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
15 28 59 60 62 63 67	RECORDKEEPER	1374	Yes [X] No [ ]	Yes [X] No [ ]	0	Yes [ ] No [X]

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes [ ] No [ ]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes [ ] No [ ]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation. Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, $5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

3 If you reported on line 2 receipt of indirect compensation, other than eligible indirect compensation, by a service provider, and the service provider is a fiduciary or provides contract administrator, consulting, custodial, investment advisory, investment management, broker, or recordkeeping services, answer the following questions for (a) each source from whom the service provider received $1,000 or more in indirect compensation and (b) each source for whom the service provider gave you a formula used to determine the indirect compensation instead of an amount or estimated amount of the indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed to report the required information for each source.

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	**(e)** Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	**(e)** Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	**(e)** Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	

Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

4 Provide, to the extent possible, the following information for each service provider who failed or refused to provide the information necessary to complete this Schedule.

(a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions)	**(b)** Nature of Service Code(s)	**(c)** Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide

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Part III Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)

(complete as many entries as needed)

a	Name:	**b** EIN:
c	Position:	
d	Address:	**e** Telephone:

Explanation:

a	Name:	**b** EIN:
c	Position:	
d	Address:	**e** Telephone:

Explanation:

a	Name:	**b** EIN:
c	Position:	
d	Address:	**e** Telephone:

Explanation:

a	Name:	**b** EIN:
c	Position:	
d	Address:	**e** Telephone:

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a	Name:	**b** EIN:
c	Position:	
d	Address:	**e** Telephone:

Explanation:

SCHEDULE D (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

DFE/Participating Plan Information

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A Name of plan
CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC. 401(K) PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC.

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
58-1654960

Part I **Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs)**
(Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: RETIREMENT LIVING AT 2030

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103 12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
01-0233346-000	P	1280

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: LIFESTYLE AGGRESSIVE

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103 12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
01-0233346-000	P	244679

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: LIFESTYLE GROWTH

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103- 12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
01-0233346-000	P	669231

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: LIFESTYLE BALANCED

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103- 12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
01-0233346-000	P	193942

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: LIFESTYLE MODERATE

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103- 12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
01-0233346-000	P	9572

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: LIFESTYLE CONSERVATIVE

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103- 12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
01-0233346-000	P	44320

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: REAL EST. SECURITIES FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103- 12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
01-0233346-000	P	19817

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: INTL SMALL CAP FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 6585

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: INTERNATIONAL OPPS FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 817

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: INTERNATIONAL VALUE FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 2334

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: MID CAP STOCK FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 9828

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: INTL EQUITY INDEX FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 4801

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: INTERNATIONAL CORE FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 435

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 22916

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FINANCIAL SERVICES FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 12024

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SMALL CAP INDEX FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 3187

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AMERICAN CENTURY HERITAGE

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 33029

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AMERICAN BALANCED FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 5710

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLACKROCK GLOBAL ALLOCATION

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 572

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: HIGH YIELD FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 16721

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: GLOBAL BOND FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 3819

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: STRATEGIC INCOME OPP FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1124

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: ACTIVE BOND FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 3174

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: INVESTMENT QUAL BOND FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1101

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TOTAL RETURN FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 9782

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SHORT-TERM FEDERAL

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 413

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: MONEY MARKET FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 346691

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TEMPLETON WORLD		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1727
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: ALL CAP CORE FUND		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1934
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: ALL CAP VALUE FUND		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 14433
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FUNDAMENTAL INVESTORS		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 18523
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: UTILITIES FUND		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 13799
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TOTAL STOCK MARKET INDEX FUND		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 2288
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: EQUITY INCOME FUND		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 44289
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: DAVIS NEW YORK VENTURE		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 5691
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: 500 INDEX FUND		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 14751
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: U.S. EQUITY FUND		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 2299

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: INV SMALL CAP GROWTH		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1034
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: T. ROWE PRICE HEALTH SCI		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 6350
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SMALL CAP OPPORTUNITIES FUND		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 10435
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SMALL COMPANY VALUE FUND		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 244
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SMALL CAP VALUE FUND		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 4476
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLUE CHIP GROWTH FUND		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 11073
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: VALUE FUND		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 9195
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: MID CAP INDEX FUND		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 4298
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: MID VALUE FUND		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 14857
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: CAPITAL APPRECIATION FUND		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA		
c EIN-PN 01-0233346-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 9278

Part II Information on Participating Plans (to be completed by DFEs)

(Complete as many entries as needed to report all participating plans)

a Plan name	
b Name of plan sponsor	**c** EIN-PN
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SCHEDULE H (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Financial Information

This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**

OMB No. 1210-0110

2011

This Form is Open to Public Inspection

For calendar plan year 2011 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2011 and ending 12/31/2011

A Name of plan
CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC. 401(K) PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC.

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
58-1654960

Part I Asset and Liability Statement

1 Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Report the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the value is reportable on lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insurance contract which guarantees, during this plan year, to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. **Round off amounts to the nearest dollar.** MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 1b(1), 1b(2), 1c(8), 1g, 1h, and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. See instructions.

Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a	0	0
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)	0	0
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)	219	0
(3) Other	1b(3)	0	0
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)	0	0
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)	0	0
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)	0	0
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)	0	0
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)	0	0
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)	0	0
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)	0	0
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)	0	0
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)	0	0
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)	139020	136977
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)	0	0
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)	1881812	1858875
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)	0	0
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)	0	0
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	0	0
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts)	1c(14)	7675	1413
(15) Other	1c(15)	0	0

			(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
1d	Employer-related investments:			
	(1) Employer securities	**1d(1)**	0	0
	(2) Employer real property	**1d(2)**	0	0
e	Buildings and other property used in plan operation	**1e**	0	0
f	Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	**1f**	2028726	1997265
	Liabilities			
g	Benefit claims payable	**1g**	0	0
h	Operating payables	**1h**	0	0
i	Acquisition indebtedness	**1i**	0	0
j	Other liabilities	**1j**	4768	11
k	Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through1j)	**1k**	4768	11
	Net Assets			
l	Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	**1l**	2023958	1997254

Part II Income and Expense Statement

2 Plan income, expenses, and changes in net assets for the year. Include all income and expenses of the plan, including any trust(s) or separately maintained fund(s) and any payments/receipts to/from insurance carriers. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 2a, 2b(1)(E), 2e, 2f, and 2g.

	Income		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a	**Contributions:**			
	(1) Received or receivable in cash from: **(A)** Employers	**2a(1)(A)**	0	
	(B) Participants	**2a(1)(B)**	195867	
	(C) Others (including rollovers)	**2a(1)(C)**	95	
	(2) Noncash contributions	**2a(2)**	0	
	(3) Total contributions. Add lines **2a(1)(A), (B), (C),** and line **2a(2)**	**2a(3)**		195962
b	**Earnings on investments:**			
	(1) Interest:			
	(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	**2b(1)(A)**	0	
	(B) U.S. Government securities	**2b(1)(B)**	0	
	(C) Corporate debt instruments	**2b(1)(C)**	0	
	(D) Loans (other than to participants)	**2b(1)(D)**	0	
	(E) Participant loans	**2b(1)(E)**	7308	
	(F) Other	**2b(1)(F)**	20	
	(G) Total interest. Add lines **2b(1)(A)** through **(F)**	**2b(1)(G)**		7328
	(2) Dividends: **(A)** Preferred stock	**2b(2)(A)**	0	
	(B) Common stock	**2b(2)(B)**	0	
	(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds)	**2b(2)(C)**	0	
	(D) Total dividends. Add lines **2b(2)(A)**, **(B)**, and **(C)**	**2b(2)(D)**		0
	(3) Rents	**2b(3)**		0
	(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: **(A)** Aggregate proceeds	**2b(4)(A)**	0	
	(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	**2b(4)(B)**	0	
	(C) Subtract line **2b(4)(B)** from line **2b(4)(A)** and enter result	**2b(4)(C)**		0

			(a) Amount	(b) Total
2b	**(5)** Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: **(A)** Real estate	2b(5)(A)	0	
	(B) Other	2b(5)(B)	0	
	(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines **2b(5)(A)** and **(B)**	2b(5)(C)		0
	(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	2b(6)		0
	(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts	2b(7)		-71797
	(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		0
	(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	2b(9)		0
	(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	2b(10)		0
c	Other income	2c		0
d	Total income. Add all **income** amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		131493
	Expenses			
e	Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
	(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	153647	
	(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)	0	
	(3) Other	2e(3)	0	
	(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines **2e(1)** through **(3)**	2e(4)		153647
f	Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		675
g	Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		0
h	Interest expense	2h		0
i	Administrative expenses: **(1)** Professional fees	2i(1)	0	
	(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)	3875	
	(3) Investment advisory and management fees	2i(3)	0	
	(4) Other	2i(4)	0	
	(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines **2i(1)** through **(4)**	2i(5)		3875
j	Total expenses. Add all **expense** amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		158197
	Net Income and Reconciliation			
k	Net income (loss). Subtract line **2j** from line **2d**	2k		-26704
l	Transfers of assets:			
	(1) To this plan	2l(1)		0
	(2) From this plan	2l(2)		0

Part III Accountant's Opinion

3 Complete lines 3a through 3c if the opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is attached to this Form 5500. Complete line 3d if an opinion is not attached.

a The attached opinion of an independent qualified public accountant for this plan is (see instructions):

(1) [ ] Unqualified **(2)** [ ] Qualified **(3)** [X] Disclaimer **(4)** [ ] Adverse

b Did the accountant perform a limited scope audit pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 and/or 103-12(d)? [X] Yes [ ] No

c Enter the name and EIN of the accountant (or accounting firm) below:

(1) Name: BARLEY, MCNAMARA, WILD, MARTIN **(2)** EIN: 27-3236857

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** because:

(1) [ ] This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, or MTIA. **(2)** [ ] It will be attached to the next Form 5500 pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.104-50.

Part IV Compliance Questions

4 CCTs and PSAs do not complete Part IV. MTIAs, 103-12 IEs, and GIAs do not complete 4a, 4e, 4f, 4g, 4h, 4k, 4m, 4n, or 5. 103-12 IEs also do not complete 4j and 4l. MTIAs also do not complete 4l.

During the plan year:

		Yes	No	Amount
a	Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.) **4a**		X	
b	Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.) **4b**		X	
c	Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.) **4c**		X	
d	Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.) **4d**		X	
e	Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond? **4e**	X		10000000
f	Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty? **4f**		X	
g	Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser? **4g**		X	
h	Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser? **4h**		X	
i	Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.) **4i**	X		
j	Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.) **4j**		X	
k	Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC? **4k**		X	
l	Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan? **4l**		X	
m	If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.) **4m**		X	
n	If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3. **4n**			

5a Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year? If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year ☐ **Yes** ☒ **No** **Amount:**

5b If, during this plan year, any assets or liabilities were transferred from this plan to another plan(s), identify the plan(s) to which assets or liabilities were transferred. (See instructions.)

5b(1) Name of plan(s)	**5b(2)** EIN(s)	**5b(3)** PN(s)

SCHEDULE R (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Retirement Plan Information

This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

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OMB No. 1210-0110

2011

This Form is Open to Public Inspection.

For calendar plan year 2011 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2011 and ending 12/31/2011

A Name of plan
CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC. 401(K) PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC.

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
58-1654960

Part I Distributions

All references to distributions relate only to payments of benefits during the plan year.

1 Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions **1** 0

2 Enter the EIN(s) of payor(s) who paid benefits on behalf of the plan to participants or beneficiaries during the year (if more than two, enter EINs of the two payors who paid the greatest dollar amounts of benefits):

EIN(s): 01-0233346

Profit-sharing plans, ESOPs, and stock bonus plans, skip line 3.

3 Number of participants (living or deceased) whose benefits were distributed in a single sum, during the plan year. **3**

Part II Funding Information (If the plan is not subject to the minimum funding requirements of section of 412 of the Internal Revenue Code or ERISA section 302, skip this Part)

4 Is the plan administrator making an election under Code section 412(d)(2) or ERISA section 302(d)(2)? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No** ☐ **N/A**

If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.

5 If a waiver of the minimum funding standard for a prior year is being amortized in this plan year, see instructions and enter the date of the ruling letter granting the waiver. **Date:** Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

If you completed line 5, complete lines 3, 9, and 10 of Schedule MB and do not complete the remainder of this schedule.

6 **a** Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year (include any prior year accumulated funding deficiency not waived) **6a**

b Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year **6b**

c Subtract the amount in line 6b from the amount in line 6a. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount) **6c**

If you completed line 6c, skip lines 8 and 9.

7 Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 6c be met by the funding deadline? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No** ☐ **N/A**

8 If a change in actuarial cost method was made for this plan year pursuant to a revenue procedure or other authority providing automatic approval for the change or a class ruling letter, does the plan sponsor or plan administrator agree with the change? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No** ☐ **N/A**

Part III Amendments

9 If this is a defined benefit pension plan, were any amendments adopted during this plan year that increased or decreased the value of benefits? If yes, check the appropriate box. If no, check the "No" box. ..... ☐ **Increase** ☐ **Decrease** ☐ **Both** ☐ **No**

Part IV ESOPs (see instructions). If this is not a plan described under Section 409(a) or 4975(e)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code, skip this Part.

10 Were unallocated employer securities or proceeds from the sale of unallocated securities used to repay any exempt loan? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

11 **a** Does the ESOP hold any preferred stock? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

b If the ESOP has an outstanding exempt loan with the employer as lender, is such loan part of a "back-to-back" loan? (See instructions for definition of "back-to-back" loan.) ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

12 Does the ESOP hold any stock that is not readily tradable on an established securities market? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

13 Enter the following information for each employer that contributed more than 5% of total contributions to the plan during the plan year (measured in dollars). See instructions. *Complete as many entries as needed to report all applicable employers.*

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires *(If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.)* Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete items 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify):

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires *(If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.)* Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete items 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires *(If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.)* Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete items 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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a Name of contributing employer

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires *(If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.)* Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete items 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

14 Enter the number of participants on whose behalf no contributions were made by an employer as an employer of the participant for:

a The current year	**14a**	
b The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year	**14b**	
c The second preceding plan year	**14c**	

15 Enter the ratio of the number of participants under the plan on whose behalf no employer had an obligation to make an employer contribution during the current plan year to:

a The corresponding number for the plan year immediately preceding the current plan year	**15a**	
b The corresponding number for the second preceding plan year	**15b**	

16 Information with respect to any employers who withdrew from the plan during the preceding plan year:

a Enter the number of employers who withdrew during the preceding plan year	**16a**	
b If item 16a is greater than 0, enter the aggregate amount of withdrawal liability assessed or estimated to be assessed against such withdrawn employers	**16b**	

17 If assets and liabilities from another plan have been transferred to or merged with this plan during the plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment. ☐

Part VI Additional Information for Single-Employer and Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

18 If any liabilities to participants or their beneficiaries under the plan as of the end of the plan year consist (in whole or in part) of liabilities to such participants and beneficiaries under two or more pension plans as of immediately before such plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment ☐

19 If the total number of participants is 1,000 or more, complete items (a) through (c)

a Enter the percentage of plan assets held as:
Stock: _____% Investment-Grade Debt: _____% High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Estate: _____% Other: _____%

b Provide the average duration of the combined investment-grade and high-yield debt:
☐ 0-3 years ☐ 3-6 years ☐ 6-9 years ☐ 9-12 years ☐ 12-15 years ☐ 15-18 years ☐ 18-21 years ☐ 21 years or more

c What duration measure was used to calculate item 19(b)?
☐ Effective duration ☐ Macaulay duration ☐ Modified duration ☐ Other (specify):



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CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS & ASSOCIATES

Financial Statements, Supplemental Schedule and Report of Independent Certified Public Accountants

Checkers Drive-In Restaurants, Inc. 401(k) Plan

December 31, 2011 and 2010

Checkers Drive-In Restaurants, Inc. 401(k) Plan

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CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS & ASSOCIATES

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Report of Independent Certified Public Accountants
To the **Checkers Drive-In Restaurants, Inc. 401(k) Plan** and Participants:

We were engaged to audit the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits of **Checkers Drive-In Restaurants, Inc. 401(k) Plan** ("the Plan") as of December 31, 2011 and December 31, 2010, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2011 and the supplemental schedule H, line 4i — Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) as of December 31, 2011. These financial statements and supplemental schedule are the responsibility of the Plan's management.

As permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, the Plan Administrator instructed us not to perform, we did not perform, any auditing procedures with respect to the information summarized in Note C, which was certified by John Hancock Life Insurance Company, the Trustee of the Plan, except for comparing the aforementioned information with the related information included in the financial statements and supplemental schedule. We have been informed by the Plan Administrator that the Trustee holds the Plan's investment assets, notes receivable from participants, and executes investment transactions. The Plan Administrator has obtained a certification from the Trustee as of December 31, 2011 and December 31, 2010 and for the year ended December 31, 2011 that the information provided to the Plan Administrator by the Trustee is complete and accurate.

Because of the significance of the information that we did not audit, we are unable to, and do not, express an opinion on the accompanying financial statements and supplemental schedule taken as a whole. The supplemental schedule is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. The form and content of the information included in the financial statements and supplemental schedule, other than that derived from the information certified by the Trustee, have been audited by us in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and, in our opinion, are presented in compliance with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974.

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Checkers Drive-In Restaurants, Inc. 401(k) Plan

Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits
December 31, 2011 and 2010

	2011	2010
Investments, at fair value:		
Pooled separate accounts	$ 1,858,875	$ 1,881,813
Guaranteed accounts	1,413	7,675
Total investments	1,860,288	1,889,488
Contributions Receivables:		
Notes receivable from participant loans	136,977	139,019
Participant	5,849	8,423
Total receivables	142,826	147,442
Liabilities:		
Contribution refund payable	11	4,768
Net assets available for benefits at fair value	$ 2,003,103	$ 2,032,162

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

Checkers Drive-In Restaurants, Inc. 401(k) Plan

Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits

For the Year Ended December 31, 2011

Additions to net assets attributed to:	2011
Investment loss:	
Net depreciation in fair value of investments	$ (71,708)
Other income	12
Net investment loss	(71,696)
Interest income from notes receivable	7,308
Contributions:	
Participant	193,526
Total contributions	193,526
Total additions	129,138
Deductions from net assets attributed to:	
Benefits paid to participants	154,322
Administrative expenses	3,875
Total deductions	158,197
Net decrease	(29,059)
Net assets available for benefits	
Beginning of year	2,032,162
End of year	$ 2,003,103

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement

Note A – Description of Plan

The following description of the Checkers Drive-In Restaurants, Inc. 401(k) Plan (the Plan) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

Checkers Drive-In Restaurants, Inc., Inc. (the Company or Employer) established the Plan effective as of June 1, 1992. The Plan has since been amended, the last amendment being August 20, 2010. The Plan operates as a defined contribution plan. It is subject to the applicable provisions of the Employer Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, (ERISA), as amended. Employees of the Company are eligible to participate in the Plan after attainment of age 18.

The custodian of the Plan is John Hancock Life Insurance Company (the Custodian or Trustee). As of December 31, 2011, the assets of the Plan are held by the custodian, which have been given the authority and power to, among other things, make investment decisions, borrow funds and take any other action it believes to be beneficial to the Plan.

Contributions

Participants may contribute up to 100% of their compensation to their participant account subject to limitations imposed by the Internal Revenue Code (IRC) limitations. The maximum employee deferral for both December 31, 2011 and December 31, 2010 is $16,500. A participant who has attained the age of 50 may also make catch up contributions, subject to IRS limitations of $5,500, for December 31, 2011 and 2010.

The Company may contribute a discretionary matching contribution equal to a percentage of each participant's deferred compensation (the exact percentage to be determined each year by the Employer), only on salary reductions up to 6% of compensation. The Company may also contribute a discretionary profit sharing contribution equal to a percentage of each eligible individual's compensation (the exact percentage to be determined each year by the Employer). For the year ended December 31, 2011, the Company did not make any discretionary matching contributions, and there was not a discretionary profit sharing contribution. Highly compensated employees are not eligible for employer matching contributions under any circumstances.

The Plan also accepts rollovers and direct transfers from the other tax-qualified plans.

Participant Accounts

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contribution and the Company's matching contribution and performance sharing amounts, if applicable. Each participant's account shall be allocated earnings, gains, expenses, and losses with respect to the investments of the participant's account. Allocations of plan earnings or losses are based on each participant's investment fund balance in proportion to the total investment fund balance.

Note A – Description of Plan (Continued)

Vesting

Participants are immediately vested in their voluntary and qualified non-elective contributions plus actual earnings thereon. Vesting in the remainder of their accounts is based on years of continuous service. A participant is 100 percent vested after four years of credit service as follows.

Years of Services	Vesting Percentage
Less than 1	0%
1	25%
2	50%
3	75%
4	100%

A participant who reaches normal retirement age 59.5, becomes totally disabled, or dies, whichever comes first while under the Company's employment, shall be 100% vested on such date.

Forfeitures

Non-vested benefits of terminated participants are forfeited on the date the participant receives a complete distribution of vested benefits. Forfeitures are used to reduce the Company's benefit plan administration costs. For the years ended December 31, 2011 and 2010, forfeited non-vested accounts totaled $0 each year. For the year ended December 31, 2011, there were no forfeitures used to reduce plan administration costs.

Investment Options

Upon enrollment in the Plan, a participant may direct his or her contributions, in multiples of 1%, into various types of investment options. Participants are allowed to select from 50 different investment options with varying investment styles. Participants may change their investment options during election periods established by the Plan Administrator.

Distribution of Benefits

On termination of service due to death, disability or retirement, a participant may elect to receive either a lump-sum amount equal to the value of the participant's vested interest in his or her account or installments paid over various periods, as defined in the Plan agreement. If a participant's vested balance is $5,000 or less, the Company may distribute the entire vested account balance to the participant without their consent. For termination of service due to other reasons, a participant may receive the value of the vested interest in his or her account as a lump-sum distribution less 20% withheld for taxes. Benefits maybe received when a participant demonstrates a situation of extreme financial hardship as defined by the Internal Revenue Code and the distribution is approved by the Plan's trustees.

Note A – Description of Plan (Continued)

Participant Loans

Participants may borrow from their fund accounts a minimum of $1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of $50,000 or 50% of their account balance. Participants may only have two loans outstanding at time. Loan transactions are treated as a transfer to (from) the investment fund from (to) the participant notes receivable. Loan terms can range from one to five years. These loans are collateralized by the balance in the participant's account and bear interest at prevailing rates as determined by the Plan Administrator. Principal and interest are paid by payroll deduction in substantially equal payments over the life of the loan, with payments not less frequently than bi- weekly.

The Plan Administrator shall consider a loan in default if any scheduled repayment remains unpaid as of the last business day of the calendar quarter following the calendar quarter in which a loan is initially considered past due. In the event of a default, death, disability, or termination of employment, the entire outstanding principal and accrued interest shall be immediately due and payable. However, if the termination of employment results from a corporate action on the part of the employer and the participant remains performing the same job after that corporate action, within 60 days of the termination of employment the participant may request that the Plan Administrator roll over the loan to the new employer's retirement plan. Unless the participant rolls over the loan, any default in repayment to the Plan will result in the treating of the balance due as a taxable distribution from the Plan.

Note B – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying financial statements are presented on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (US GAAP).

As described in Financial Accounting Standards Board(FASB) Staff Position Reporting of Fully Benefit-Responsive Investment Contracts Held by Certain Investment Companies Subject to the AICPA Investment Company Guide and Defined-Contribution Health and Welfare and Pension Plans (the FSP), investment contracts held by a defined-contribution plan are required to be reported at fair value. However, contract value is the relevant measurement attribute to fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because contract value is the amount participants would receive if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan. The Plan invests in investment contracts through a collective trust. As required by the FSP, the Statement of Net Assets Available for Benefits presents the fair value of the investment contracts as well as the adjustment of the fully benefit-responsive investment contracts from fair value to contract value The Plan had no fully benefit-responsive investments as of December 31, 2011.

Note B – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Fair Value Measurements

The FASB has established establishes a framework for measuring fair value, Fair Value Measurements. That framework provides a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (level 3 measurements.) The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described below:

Level 1	Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Plan has the ability to access.
Level 2	Inputs to the valuation methodology include: Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets; Quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets; Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability; Inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the Level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3	Inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

The asset's or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2011 and 2010.

Common stocks, corporate bonds and U.S. government securities: Valued at the closing price reported on the active market on which the individual securities are traded.

Mutual funds: Valued at the net asset value ("NAV") of shares held by the plan at year end.

Guaranteed investment contracts: Valued at both the net asset value ("NAV") and contract value of shares held by the plan at year end.

The methods described above may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, while the Plan believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

Note B – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's assets at fair value as of December 31, 2011 and 2010:

		Fair Value Measurements at Reporting Date Using:	
Description	Assets Measured at Fair Value at 12/31/2011	Quoted Prices in Active Markets (Level 1)	Significant Other Observable Inputs (Level 2)
Pooled separate accounts	$ 1,858,875	$1,858,875	$ -
Guaranteed accounts	1,413	-	1,413
	$ 1,860,288	$1,858,875	$ 1,413

		Fair Value Measurements at Reporting Date Using:	
Description	Assets Measured at Fair Value at 12/31/2010	Quoted Prices in Active Markets (Level 1)	Significant Other Observable Inputs (Level 2)
Pooled separate accounts	$ 1,881,813	$1,881,813	$ -
Guaranteed accounts	7,675	-	7,675
	$ 1,889,488	$1,881,813	$ 7,675

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with US GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of net assets available for benefits and the changes in net assets available for benefits and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

The Plan's investments are stated at fair value. Quoted market prices are used to value investments. Shares of mutual funds are valued at the net asset value of shares held by the Plan at year end. Participant loans are valued at their outstanding balances, which approximate fair value. The Plan's interest in the collective trust is valued based on information reported by the investment advisor using the audited financial statements of the collective trust at year-end.

Purchases and sales of investments are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date.

Contributions

Contributions from participants are accrued and credited to participants' accounts as of each pay period.

Benefits

Benefit payments to participants are recorded when paid.

Note B – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Party-In-Interest

The Plan invests in shares of certain mutual funds managed by John Hancock. Transactions in such investments qualify as party-in-interest transactions, which are exempt from the prohibited transaction rules.

Note C – Information Certified by the Custodian of the Plan

The Plan Administrator has elected the method of compliance permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Accordingly, as permitted under such election, the Plan Administrator instructed the auditors not to perform any auditing procedures with respect to the information certified by the Trustee, except for comparing such information to the related information included in the financial statements and supplemental schedule. The Plan Administrator has obtained a certification from the Trustee that the information provided to the Plan Administrator by the Trustee as of December 31, 2011 and 2010 and for the year ended December 31, 2011, is complete and accurate. Such information includes all investments, notes receivable from participants, investment income and, and the information in the supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year).

Note D – Financial Instruments

Certain financial instruments potentially subject the Plan to concentrations of credit risk. These financial instruments consist of mutual funds and common collective trusts. The Plan limits its credit risk by monitoring its accounts with what management believes to be high quality financial institutions.

Note E – Investments

Each of these investments represents 5 percent or more of the Plan's net assets available for benefits as of December 31:

Investment Descriptions	2011	2010
JH Lifestyle Growth Fund	$669,231	$664,672
JH Money Market Fund	346,691	350,239
JH Lifestyle Aggressive Fund	244,679	239,358
JH Lifestyle Balanced Fund	193,942	206,649

The net depreciation in market value of investments for the year ended December 31, 2011 consists of the unrealized gains and losses on assets during the fiscal year plus any realized gains and losses on the sale of investments and is reconciled as follows:

Investment Type	December 31, 2011
Pooled Separate Accounts	$(71,708)

Note F – Party-In-Interest Transactions

Certain plan investments are held and managed by the Trustee. Transactions related to these investments qualify as party-in-interest transactions. Fees paid by the Plan to the Trustee totaled approximately $3,875 for the year ended December 31, 2011. The Plan sponsor only pays fees associated with the annual Plan audit.

Note G – Income Tax Status

The Plan has received a determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service dated October 15, 2003, stating that the Plan is qualified under Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code and, therefore, the related trust is exempt from taxation under Section 401 of the Internal Revenue Code. The Plan Administrator and its qualified tax counsel do not anticipate that changes in the Plan after the date of the amendments covered by the Internal Revenue Service determination letter will affect the qualified and tax-exempt status of the Plan.

Note H – Plan Termination

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Company has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event the Plan is terminated, participants would become 100 percent vested in their accounts.

Note I – Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

Note J – Reconciliation of Financial Statements to Form 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for benefits per the financial statements to the Form 5500:

	2011	2010
Net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	$ 2,003,103	$ 2,032,162
Adjustment for variances between cash and accrual basis	(5,849)	(8,204)
Net assets available for benefits per the Form 5500	$ 1,997,254	$ 2,023,958

Note J – Reconciliation of Financial Statements to Form 5500 (continued)

The following is a reconciliation of additions per the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2011 to the Form 5500:

	2011
Additions per financial statements	$ 129,138
Adjustment for variance between cash and accrual basis	2,355
Total additions per the Form 5500	$ 131,493

Note K – Subsequent Events

Subsequent events have been evaluated through September 30, 2012, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

Supplemental Schedule

Checkers Drive-In Restaurants, Inc. 401(k) Plan (EIN): 58-1654960 Plan# 001

Schedule H, Line 4i- Supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

As of December 31, 2011

(a)	(b) Identity of issuer/ (c) Description of investment	(e) Current value
	(i)Pooled Separate Accounts, at fair value:	
*	Lifestyle Growth	$ 669,231
*	Money Market Fund	346,691
*	Lifestyle Aggressive	244,679
*	Lifestyle Balanced	193,942
*	Retirement Living 2030	44,320
*	Equity Income Fund	44,289
*	American Century Heritage	33,029
*	Science and Technology Fund	22,916
*	Real Est. Securities Fund	19,817
*	Fundamental Investors	18,523
*	High Yield Fund	16,721
*	Mid Value Fund	14,857
*	500 Index Fund	14,751
*	All Cap Value Fund	14,433
*	Utilities Fund	13,799
*	Financial Services Fund	12,024
*	Blue Chip Growth Fund	11,073
*	Small Cap Opportunities Fund	10,435
*	Mid Cap Stock Fund	9,828
*	Total Return Fund	9,782
*	Lifestyle Moderate	9,572
*	Capital Appreciation Fund	9,278
*	Value Fund	9,195
*	Intl Small Cap Fund	6,585
*	T. Rowe Price Health Sci	6,350
*	American Balanced Fund	5,710
*	Davis New York Venture	5,691
*	Intl Equity Index Fund	4,801
*	Small Cap Value Fund	4,476
*	Mid Cap Index Fund	4,298
*	Global Bond Fund	3,819
*	Small Cap Index Fund	3,187
*	Active Bond Fund	3,174
*	International Value Fund	2,334
*	Large Cap Fund	2,299
*	Total Stock Market Index Fund	2,288
*	All Cap Core Fund	1,934
*	Templeton World	1,727

Checkers Drive-In Restaurants, Inc. 401(k) Plan (EIN): 58-1654960 Plan# 001

Schedule H, Line 4i- Supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

As of December 31, 2011

(a)	(b) Identity of issuer/ (c) Description of investment	(e) Current value
*	Lifestyle Conservative	1,281
*	Strategic Income Opp Fund	1,124
*	Investment Qual Bond Fund	1,101
*	Inv Small Cap Growth	1,034
*	International Opps Fund	817
*	BlackRock Global Allocation	572
*	International Core Fund	435
*	Short-Term Federal	413
*	Small Company Value Fund	240
	Total pooled separate accounts	1,858,875
	(ii) Guaranteed accounts	
	3-Year Compound	618
	10-Year Compound	456
	5-Year Compound	339
		1,413
*	(iii) Participant loans (4.25% - 9.25%)	136,977
	Total investments and notes receivables	$ 1,997,265

* Managed by John Hancock Retirement Services, the Trustee, a party-in-interest.

See Accountant's Opinion

Form 5500	Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan	OMB Nos. 1210-0110 1210-0089
Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6047(e), 6057(b), and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ► Complete all entries in accordance with the Instructions to the Form 5500.	2011 This Form is Open to Public Inspection

Part I Annual Report Identification Information

For the calendar plan year 2011 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2011 and ending 12/31/2011

A This return/report is for: [ ] a multiemployer plan; [ ] a multiple-employer plan; or [X] a single-employer plan; [ ] a DFE (specify) _____

B This return/report is: [ ] the first return/report; [ ] the final return/report; [X] an amended return/report; [ ] a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months).

C If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here . . . . . ► [ ]

D Check box if filing under: [X] Form 5558; [ ] automatic extension; [ ] the DFVC program; [ ] special extension (enter description)

Part II Basic Plan Information --- enter all requested information.

1a Name of plan
CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC. 401(k) PLAN

1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ► 001

1c Effective date of plan 06/01/1992

2a Plan sponsor's name and address, including room or suite number (Employer, if for single-employer plan)

CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC.

4300 W. CYPRESS ST., SUITE 600

US TAMPA FL 33607-4157

2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) 58-1654960

2c Sponsor's telephone number (813) 283-7004

2d Business code (see instructions) 722210

Caution: A penalty for the late or incomplete filing of this return/report will be assessed unless reasonable cause is established.

Under penalties of perjury and other penalties set forth in the instructions, I declare that I have examined this return/report, including accompanying schedules, statements and attachments, as well as the electronic version of this return/report, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

SIGN HERE	Susan McBride	10/2/12	Susan McBride
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE	Lori Malcolm	10/2/2012	Lori Malcolm
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

3a Plan administrator's name and address (if same as plan sponsor, enter "Same")	3b Administrator's EIN
Same	3c Administrator's telephone number

4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the name, EIN and the plan number from the last return/report:	4b EIN
a Sponsor's name	4c PN

5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	5	3,120
6 Number of participants as of the end of the plan year (welfare plans complete only lines 6a, 6b, 6c, and 6d).		
a Active participants	6a	2,651
b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits	6b	0
c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits	6c	86
d Subtotal. Add lines 6a, 6b, and 6c	6d	2,737
e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits	6e	0
f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e	6f	2,737
g Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	6g	169
h Number of participants that terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested	6h	0
7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer complete this item)	7	

8a If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions:

2E 2F 2G 2J 2K 3D

b If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions:

9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)
(1) [X] Insurance	(1) [X] Insurance
(2) [ ] Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts	(2) [ ] Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
(3) [X] Trust	(3) [X] Trust
(4) [ ] General assets of the sponsor	(4) [ ] General assets of the sponsor

10 Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)

a Pension Schedules	b General Schedules		
(1) [X] R (Retirement Plan Information)	(1) [X]		H (Financial Information)
(2) [ ] MB (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary	(2) [ ]		I (Financial Information - Small Plan)
	(3) [X]	1	A (Insurance Information)
	(4) [X]		C (Service Provider Information)
(3) [ ] SB (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary	(5) [X]		D (DFE/Participating Plan Information)
	(6) [ ]		G (Financial Transaction Schedules)

Schedule H, line 4i
Schedule of Assets (Held At End of Year)

For the plan year beginning 01/01/2011 and ending 12/31/2011

Name of plan

CHECKERS DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS, INC. 401(k) PLAN

Employer Identification Number

58-1654960

Three-digit plan number ► 001

(a)	(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par, or maturity value	(d) Cost	(e) Current value
*	John Hancock USA	BlackRock Global Allocation		572
*	John Hancock USA	High Yield Fund		16,721
*	John Hancock USA	Global Bond Fund		3,819
*	John Hancock USA	Strategic Income Opp Fund		1,124
*	John Hancock USA	Active Bond Fund		3,174
*	John Hancock USA	Investment Qual Bond Fund		1,101
*	John Hancock USA	Total Return Fund		9,782
*	John Hancock USA	Short-Term Federal		413
*	John Hancock USA	Money Market Fund		346,691
*	John Hancock USA	3-Year Compound		618
*	John Hancock USA	5-Year Compound		339
*	John Hancock USA	10-Year Compound		456

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(a)	(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par, or maturity value	(d) Cost	(e) Current value
*	John Hancock USA	Retirement Living at 2030		1,280
*	John Hancock USA	Lifestyle Aggressive		244,679
*	John Hancock USA	Lifestyle Growth		669,231
*	John Hancock USA	Lifestyle Balanced		193,942
*	John Hancock USA	Lifestyle Moderate		9,572
*	John Hancock USA	Lifestyle Conservative		44,320
*	John Hancock USA	Real Est. Securities Fund		19,817
*	John Hancock USA	Intl Small Cap Fund		6,585
*	John Hancock USA	International Opps Fund		817
*	John Hancock USA	International Value Fund		2,334
*	John Hancock USA`	Mid Cap Stock Fund		9,828
*	John Hancock USA	Intl Equity Index Fund		4,801
*	John Hancock USA	International Core Fund		435
*	John Hancock USA	Science & Technology Fund		22,916
*	John Hancock USA	Financial Services Fund		12,024
*	John Hancock USA	Small Cap Index Fund		3,187
*	John Hancock USA	American Century Heritage		33,029
*	John Hancock USA	Inv Small Cap Growth		1,034
*	John Hancock USA	T. Rowe Price Health Sci		6,350
*	John Hancock USA	Small Cap Opportunities Fund		10,435
*	John Hancock USA	Small Company Value Fund		244
*	John Hancock USA	Small Cap Value Fund		4,476
*	ohn Hancock USA	Blue Chip Growth Fund		11,073
*	John Hancock USA	Value Fund		9,195
*	John Hancock USA	Mid Cap Index Fund		4,298
*	John Hancock USA	Participant Loans 4.25%-8.75		136,977
*	John Hancock USA	Mid Value Fund		14,857
*	John Hancock USA	Capital Appreciation Fund		9,278
*	John Hancock USA	Templeton World		1,727
*	John Hancock USA	All Cap Core Fund		1,934
*	John Hancock USA	All Cap Value Fund		14,433
*	John Hancock USA	Fundamental Investors		18,523
*	John Hancock USA	Utilities Fund		13,799
*	John Hancock USA	Total Stock Market Index Fund		2,288
*	John Hancock USA	American Balanced Fund		5,710
*	John Hancock USA	Equity Income Fund		44,289
*	John Hancock USA	Davis New York Venture		5,691
*	John Hancock USA	500 Index Fund		14,751
*	John Hancock USA	U.S. Equity Fund		2,299