

COCA COLA CO
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FRUIT CHARLES B

(Last) (First) (Middle)

THE COCA-COLA
COMPANY, ONE COCA-COLA
PLAZA

(Street)

ATLANTA, GA 30313

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
COCA COLA CO [(KO)]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
04/29/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Senior Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock, \$.25 par value	04/29/2005		M		22,880 A \$ 35.625	118,943	D
Common Stock, \$.25 par value	04/29/2005		F ⁽¹⁾		20,179 D \$ 43.17	98,764	D
Common Stock, \$.25 par						5,958 ⁽²⁾	I By 401(k) plan

value

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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 35.625	04/29/2005		M	22,880	<u>(3)</u> 10/17/2005	Common Stock, \$.25 par value	22,880
Hypothetical shares	\$ 0 <u>(4)</u>					<u>(5)</u> <u>(5)</u>	Common Stock, \$.25 par value	2,920

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FRUIT CHARLES B THE COCA-COLA COMPANY ONE COCA-COLA PLAZA ATLANTA, GA 30313			Senior Vice President	

Signatures

/s/ Fruit, Charles
B 05/03/2005

 **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 18,881 shares delivered to pay the option exercise price and 1,298 shares withheld by Issuer for payment of taxes on the option exercise.
- (2) Shares credited to my account under The Coca-Cola Company Thrift & Investment Plan, a tax-qualified 401(k) plan, as of April 28, 2005.
- (3) Grant (with tax withholding right) was awarded on October 18, 1995. One-third of grant became exercisable one year after date of grant, with the remainder becoming exercisable in equal monthly installments over the next 24 months.
- (4) Each hypothetical share is equal to one share of Common Stock of The Coca-Cola Company.
- (5) There is no data applicable with respect to the hypothetical shares.
- (6) As of April 28, 2005.

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