

COCA COLA CO

Form 4

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**FORM 4**
**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**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 \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) 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)
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 <sup>(1)</sup>	20,179 D	\$ 43.17 98,764	D	
Common Stock, \$.25 par					5,958 <sup>(2)</sup>	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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	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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