TRIARC COMPANIES INC Form 4

April 25, 2003

SEC Form 4

| FORM 4 | | UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION | | | | | OMB APPROVAL | | | | |
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| (Print or Type Responses) | | | nt to Section 16(a) of th ompany Act of 1935 or | nours per respons | e0.5 | | | | | | |
| 1. Name and Address of Repo Person [*] DWG Acquisition Group, La | orting 2. 1 a.P. Tr | | | | | | 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | 3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary) | | Statement for Month/Day/Year April 23, 2003 | | Director X 10% Owner Officer Other 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable | | | | | |
| (Street) Wilmington, DE 19801 (City) (State) (Zip) USA | | - | | 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year) | | - <u>x</u> 1 | Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| Table I - Non-Derivative S | Securities A | Acquire | ed, Disposed of, or Be | neficially Owne | ed | | | | | | |
| 2 | ansaction I Ionth/Day/ | etion Date 2A. Deemed /Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | . Transaction 4. Securities Acque (A) or Disposed (and Of Voluntary Code (Instr. 3, 4, and Code (Instr. 8) | | (D) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Owner- ship Form: Direct(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | Amount A/D I | Price | | | | | |
| Class A Common Stock 04/23 | 3/2003 | | | J (1) | 383523 | D | | D | | | |
| Class A Common Stock 04/23 | 3/2003 | | | J (2) | 255682 | D | 5343662 | 2 D | | | |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | Exercise | Transaction | Execution Date, if any (Month/ Day/ Year) | Transaction Code and Voluntary (V) Code (Instr.8) | of Derivative Securities Acquired | 6. Date Exercisable(DE) and Expiration Date(ED) (Month/Day/Year) | Amount of Underlying Securities | of | Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions (Instr.4) | 10. Owner- ship Form of Deriv- ative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.4) |
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Explanation of Responses :

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.

See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

 By: Andrew Johnston - Vice

 President
 04-24-2003

 ** Signature of Reporting Person
 Date

Power of Attorney

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FOOTNOTE Descriptions for Triarc Companies, Inc. (TRY)

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Explanation of responses:

(1) Distribution of shares by DWG Acquisition Group, L.P. ("DWG Acquisition") to Nelson Peltz, a general partner of DWG Acquisition, in connection with the payment of the exercise price for options to acquire shares of Class A Common Stock

of Triarc Companies, Inc. that were exercised by Mr. Peltz on April 23, 2003.

(2) Distribution of shares by DWG Acquisition to Peter W. May, a general partner of DWG Acquisition, in connection with the payment of the exercise price for options to acquire shares of Class A Common Stock of Triarc Companies, Inc. that were exercised by Mr. May on April 23, 2003. See Table II.