

TRIARC COMPANIES INC
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FORM 4

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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 *
SCHWAB II DAVID E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
TRIARC COMPANIES INC
[TRY;TRY.B]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

TRIARC COMPANIES, INC., 280
PARK AVENUE

05/01/2006

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10017

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|--------|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| | | | | | | | \$ | | |
| Class A Common Stock | 05/01/2006 | | M | | 3,000 | A | 12.63 <u>(1) (2)</u> | 26,710 | D |
| Class B Common Stock, Series 1 | 05/01/2006 | | F | | 2,268 | D | \$ 16.7 <u>(1) (2)</u> | 30,344 | D |
| Class B Common Stock, Series 1 | 05/01/2006 | | M | | 6,000 | A | <u>(1) (2)</u> | 36,344 | D |

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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) | 8. I |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------------|
| Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾ | \$ 12.625 | 05/01/2006 | | M | 3,000 | ⁽⁴⁾ 06/06/2006 | Class A Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ ₍₂₎ | Amount or Number of Shares 3,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| SCHWAB II DAVID E TRIARC COMPANIES, INC. 280 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10017 | X | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Schwab II,
David E. 05/02/2006

⁽¹⁾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) On August 11, 2003, Triarc Companies, Inc. (Triarc) declared a stock dividend, payable to all holders of record of Class A Common Stock on August 21, 2003, of two shares of Class B Common Stock, Series 1 for each share of Class A Common Stock outstanding. As a result of the stock dividend, each outstanding option granted under Triarc's 1993 Equity Participation Plan was adjusted so that each such option outstanding as of August 21, 2003, became exercisable for both one share of Class A Common and two shares of Class B

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Common Stock, Series 1.

- This stock option was previously reported as an option for 3,000 shares of Class A Common Stock at an exercise price of \$12.625 per share, but was adjusted to reflect the stock dividend referred to in note (1) above. As a result of the stock dividend, the option also entitled the reporting person to receive, upon exercise, 6,000 shares of Class B Common Stock, Series 1 for no additional consideration.
- (2) With tandem tax withholding rights.
 - (3) The option vested in two equal installments on June 6, 1997 and 1998.

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