

Freeman Ronald B  
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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 \*  
 Freeman Ronald B

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 INGLES MARKETS INC [IMKTA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 2913 US HIGHWAY 70 WEST

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 04/09/2007

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 Chief Financial Officer / Profit Sharing Plan Trustee

(Street)  
 BLACK MOUNTAIN, NC 28711

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |        |   |                                      |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|--------|---|--------------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V                                                                 | Amount                                                                                        | (D)                                                      | Price                                                 |        |   |                                      |
| Class A Common Stock            | 04/09/2007                           |                                                    | J <sup>(1)</sup>               |                                                                   | 700                                                                                           | D                                                        | \$ 41.7                                               | 27,600 | I | Employee Plan Trustee <sup>(1)</sup> |
| Class A Common Stock            | 04/09/2007                           |                                                    | J <sup>(1)</sup>               |                                                                   | 700                                                                                           | D                                                        | \$ 41.678                                             | 26,900 | I | Employee Plan Trustee <sup>(1)</sup> |
| Class A Common Stock            | 04/09/2007                           |                                                    | J <sup>(1)</sup>               |                                                                   | 1,027                                                                                         | D                                                        | \$ 41.77                                              | 25,873 | I | Employee Plan Trustee <sup>(1)</sup> |
|                                 | 04/09/2007                           |                                                    | J <sup>(1)</sup>               |                                                                   | 473                                                                                           | D                                                        | \$ 41.55                                              | 25,400 | I |                                      |

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| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock            |            |             |       |   |               |        |   | Employee<br>Plan<br>Trustee <u>(1)</u> |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock            | 04/09/2007 | <u>J(1)</u> | 1,000 | D | \$<br>41.6313 | 24,400 | I | Employee<br>Plan<br>Trustee <u>(1)</u> |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock            | 04/09/2007 | <u>J(1)</u> | 1,000 | D | \$ 41.533     | 23,400 | I | Employee<br>Plan<br>Trustee <u>(1)</u> |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock            | 04/09/2007 | <u>J(1)</u> | 1,000 | D | \$ 41.071     | 22,400 | I | Employee<br>Plan<br>Trustee <u>(1)</u> |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock            | 04/09/2007 | <u>J(1)</u> | 200   | D | \$ 41.02      | 22,200 | I | Employee<br>Plan<br>Trustee <u>(1)</u> |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock            | 04/09/2007 | <u>J(1)</u> | 400   | D | \$<br>41.0049 | 21,800 | I | Employee<br>Plan<br>Trustee <u>(1)</u> |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock <u>(2)</u> | 04/09/2007 | <u>J(1)</u> | 700   | D | \$<br>40.8514 | 21,100 | I | Employee<br>Plan<br>Trustee <u>(1)</u> |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock <u>(2)</u> | 04/09/2007 | <u>J(1)</u> | 800   | D | \$<br>40.7662 | 20,300 | I | Employee<br>Plan<br>Trustee <u>(1)</u> |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock <u>(2)</u> | 04/09/2007 | <u>J(1)</u> | 1,000 | D | \$ 40.871     | 19,300 | I | Employee<br>Plan<br>Trustee <u>(1)</u> |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock <u>(2)</u> | 04/09/2007 | <u>J(1)</u> | 100   | D | \$ 40.86      | 19,200 | I | Employee<br>Plan<br>Trustee <u>(1)</u> |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock <u>(2)</u> | 04/09/2007 | <u>J(1)</u> | 900   | D | \$<br>40.8144 | 18,300 | I | Employee<br>Plan<br>Trustee <u>(1)</u> |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any | 4. Transaction<br>Code | 5. Number<br>of | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Underlying | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 9. Nu<br>Deriv<br>Secur |
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| (Instr. 3) | Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3,<br>4, and 5) | Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | (Instr. 5) | Bene-<br>ficial<br>Own-<br>er<br>Follo-<br>wing<br>Repo-<br>sition<br>Trans-<br>action<br>(Instr. |                    |       |                                        |
|------------|------------------------------------|------------------|------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-------|----------------------------------------|
|            |                                    |                  | Code       | V                                                                                               | (A)                            | (D)        | Date<br>Exercisable                                                                               | Expiration<br>Date | Title | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                          | Relationships |           |                         |                                |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
|                                                                         | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                 | Other                          |
| Freeman Ronald B<br>2913 US HIGHWAY 70 WEST<br>BLACK MOUNTAIN, NC 28711 | X             |           | Chief Financial Officer | Profit Sharing Plan<br>Trustee |

## Signatures

/s/ Ronald B.  
Freeman  
04/10/2007  
Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## 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).
- The reported transactions constitute sales of Class A Common Stock to meet the liquidity needs of the Ingles Markets Investment/Profit Sharing Plan (the "Plan") for making distributions to Plan participants. The number of shares reported as sold and as beneficially owned reflect the total number of shares sold or owned by the Plan for the benefit of all Plan participants. The reporting person is a trustee of the
- (1) Plan. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his or her pecuniary interest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose except to the extent of his or her pecuniary interest therein.
  - (2) Mr. Freeman directly held 1,594 shares of Class A Common Stock on April 9, 2007.

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