

COCA COLA CO
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
DOUGLAS J ALEXANDER JR

(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)
02/19/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock, \$.25 par value | 02/19/2009 | | A | 22,500 (1) | A \$ 0 | 73,263 | D | |
| Common Stock, \$.25 par value | | | | | | 3,595 (2) | I | By 401(k) plan |
| Common Stock, \$.25 par value | | | | | | 1,201 (3) | I | By wife as trustee |

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable Expiration Date | Title Amount Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 43.2 | 02/19/2009 | | A | 308,123 | (4) 02/18/2019 | Common Stock, \$0.25 par value 308,123 |
| Hypothetical shares | \$ 0 (5) | | | | | (6) (6) | Common Stock, \$0.25 par value 5,000 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DOUGLAS J ALEXANDER JR
THE COCA-COLA COMPANY
ONE COCA-COLA PLAZA
ATLANTA, GA 30313

Group President

Signatures

/s/ Douglas, J.
Alexander, Jr.

02/23/2009

**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) These shares of restricted stock were issued in connection with the attainment of the performance criterion underlying performance share units granted in December 2005.
- (2) Shares credited to my account under The Coca-Cola Company Thrift & Investment Plan, a tax-qualified 401(k) plan, as of February 18, 2009.

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- (3) These shares are held by trusts for the benefit of the Reporting Person's four children.
- (4) Option (with tax withholding right) granted on February 19, 2009 under The Coca-Cola Company 2002 Stock Option Plan. One-fourth of grant becomes exercisable on the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the grant date.
- (5) Each hypothetical share is equal to one share of Common Stock of The Coca-Cola Company.
- (6) There is no data applicable with respect to the hypothetical shares.
- (7) As of February 18, 2009.

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