

COCA COLA CO  
Form 4  
August 24, 2005

**FORM 4**

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

Check this box  
if no longer  
subject to  
Section 16.  
Form 4 or  
Form 5  
obligations  
may continue.  
*See Instruction*  
1(b).

**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

## OMB APPROVAL

OMB  
Number: 3235-0287  
Expires: January 31,  
2005  
Estimated average  
burden hours per  
response... 0.5

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**KNAUSS DONALD R**

(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)

**08/22/2005**

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 \_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)

Group 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 Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$.25 par value	08/22/2005		M	20,000	A \$ 35.625	51,048	D
Common Stock, \$.25 par value	08/22/2005		F <sup>(1)</sup>	14,496	D \$ 44.36	36,552	D
Common Stock, \$.25 par	08/22/2005		F <sup>(2)</sup>	2,634	D \$ 44.36	33,918 <sup>(3)</sup>	D

value

Common  
Stock,  
\$.25 par  
value

11,415 <sup>(4)</sup> I

By 401(k)  
plan

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

**Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.**

SEC 1474  
(9-02)

**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	08/22/2005		M	20,000	<u>(5)</u>	10/17/2005	Common Stock, \$.25 par value	20,000
Hypothetical shares	\$ 0 <u>(6)</u>					<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock, \$.25 par value	3,433

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KNAUSS DONALD R THE COCA-COLA COMPANY ONE COCA-COLA PLAZA ATLANTA, GA 30313				Group President

## Signatures

By: Carol C. Hayes,  
Attorney-in-Fact

08/24/2005

\_\_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 13,427 shares delivered to pay the option exercise price and 1,069 shares withheld by Issuer for payment of taxes on the option exercise with respect to 16,720 options.
- (2) Shares delivered to pay the option exercise price with respect to 3,280 options.
- (3) Includes 655 shares acquired from December 2004 to July 2005 under The Coca-Cola Company Dividend and Cash Investment Plan.
- (4) Shares credited to my account under The Coca-Cola Company Thrift & Investment Plan, a tax-qualified 401(k) plan, as of August 22, 2005.
- (5) 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.
- (6) Each hypothetical share is equal to one share of Common Stock of The Coca-Cola Company.
- (7) There is no data applicable with respect to the hypothetical shares.
- (8) As August 22, 2005.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.