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Form 4

October 11, 2002

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

() Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.

Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person

Peltz, Nelson

Triarc Companies, Inc.

280 Park Avenue, 41st Floor

New York, NY 10017

USA

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Triarc Companies, Inc.

TRY

3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)

4. Statement for Month/Year

October 10, 2002

5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)

6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)

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

(specify below)

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

7. 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	2. Transaction Date	3. Code	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Amount	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month
Class A Common Stock	10/10/02	P(1)	75 (A) \$22.16	
Class A Common Stock	10/10/02	G(1)	75 (D)	
				23,750 (2) (3)
				5,982,867 (2) (5)
				26,900 (2)

Table II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion	3. Transaction	4. Derivative Security	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of Underlying	8. Percentage of
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For Exercise				Securities Acquired(A) or Disposed of(D)	Expiration Date(Month/Day/Year)	Securities Title and Number of Shares	Value
Price of							
Derivative							
Security	Date	Code	V	Amount	Exercisable		

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Mr. Peltz together with Peter W. May, the President and Chief Operating Officer of the Issuer, acquired the shares in an open market purchase for the purpose of making a bona fide gift to an unrelated person.

(2) Represents number of shares beneficially owned as of October 10, 2002.

(3) All such shares are held in the Peltz Family Limited Partnership, an entity in which Mr. Peltz is a General Partner.

(4) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, 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.

(5) All such shares are owned by DWG Acquisition Group, L.P., an entity in which Mr. Peltz is a General Partner.

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON

Nelson Peltz

DATE

October 10, 2002