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 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type	e Responses)																		
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Kent Ahmet Muhtar				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COCA COLA CO [(KO)]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner								
(Last) (First) (Middle) THE COCA-COLA COMPANY, ONE COCA-COLA PLAZA				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/02/2005									Officer (give title below) X Other (specify below) Group President						
(Street) ATLANTA, GA 30313				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							
(City)	-,	(State)	(Zip)			7	Table I	- No	n-Deri	vative S	Securities	s Acqu	ired, I	Disposed (of, or Bene	ficially Own	ed		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea					ate, if	c, if Code (Instr.		(A)		Securities Acquired A) or Disposed of (D) nstr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)			6. Ownership	of Indir Benefic	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial		
				(Month	/Day	/Year)	Cod	le	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)			
Common S	Stock, \$.25	par value											44,400				D (1)		
Common S	Stock, \$.25	par value											21,364 (2)				I	By 401(k) plan)
Reminder: Re	eport on a se	parate line for each of	Table II -	Derivati	ve So	ecuritio	es Acqu	P in a	erson this f curre	form ar ntly val	e not re lid OMB or Benef	quired contr	d to re	espond u mber.		ion contain form displ		C 1474 (9-	-02)
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		Exercise (Month/Day/Year) any (Month/Day/Year) ivative			4. 5. Nu Transaction of De Code Secur (Instr. 8) Acqu or Di of (D		umber erivative larities (uired (A) isposed (D) r. 3, 4,		options, convertible securi 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and An of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		ng		9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(Owners Form o Derivat Security Direct (or Indir	Ownershi y: (Instr. 4)		
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Dat Exe		Expir e Date	ration	Title		Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(Instr.	4)	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 43.43	05/02/2005		A		80,00	00		(3)	05/0	1/2015	Com Sto \$.25 val	ck, par	80,000	\$ 0	80,000	D		

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

/s/ Kent, Ahmet Muhtar	05/04/2005				
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) Exhibit Index Exhibit No. 24 Power of Attorney
- (2) Shares credited to my account under The Coca-Cola Company Thrift & Investment Plan, a tax-qualified 401(k) plan, as of April 27, 2005.
- (3) Option (with tax withholding right) granted on May 2, 2005 under The Coca-Cola Company 2002 Stock Option Plan. One-fourth of grant becomes exercisable on each of the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the grant date.

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

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: THAT I, Muhtar Kent, do hereby appoint Carol Crofoot Hayes, David R. Bucey, Gabriel Dumitrescu, Parth S. Munshi, and Anita Jane Kamenz, each acting individually, my true and lawful attorneys for me and in my name for the purpose of:

- (1) executing on my behalf any Form ID for the application for access codes to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission's EDGAR(R) System or any successor system, any Initial Statement of Beneficial Ownership of Securities on Form 3, any Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership of Securities on Form 4, any Annual Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership of Securities on Form 5 and any additional forms which may be promulgated pursuant to Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or any amendments thereto, in connection with my transactions in shares of The Coca-Cola Company common stock and causing such forms to be filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the New York Stock Exchange and/or any other appropriate stock exchange; and
- (2) taking any other action in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of any of such attorneys-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the forms executed by any of such attorneys-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as any of such attorneys-in-fact may approve in their discretion.

The undersigned acknowledges that:

- (1) the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and
- (2) this Power of Attorney authorizes, but does not require, any of the foregoing attorneys-in-fact to act in their discretion on information provided to such attorneys-in-fact without independent verification of such information.

The undersigned hereby grants to each of the foregoing attorneys-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or appropriate to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, hereby ratifying and confirming all that any of such attorneys-in-fact, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

 $\,$ This Power of Attorney shall remain in effect until revoked in writing by the undersigned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 18th day of April, 2005.

/s/ Muhtar Kent -----Muhtar Kent