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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(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading CRANE ANN B Issuer Symbol

WENDYS INTERNATIONAL INC

(Check all applicable)

[WEN] (Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction X\_ Director (Month/Day/Year) below)

10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

WENDY'S INTERNATIONAL, INC., P. O. BOX 256

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

09/29/2008

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

DUBLIN, OH 43017-0256

(City)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

or Code V Amount (D)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price

(A)

Common \$0 0 09/29/2008 D D 13,173 D Stock (1) (2)

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)

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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. Numb on Deriv. Securitie Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)	rative es d d of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share
OPTION (RIGHT TO PURCHASE)	\$ 28.705	09/29/2008		D	6,	244	09/29/2008	04/30/2015	Common Stock	6,24
OPTION (RIGHT TO PURCHASE)	\$ 37.63	09/29/2008		D	4,	310	05/01/2008	04/30/2014	Common Stock	4,31

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
CRANE ANN B WENDY'S INTERNATIONAL, INC. P. O. BOX 256 DUBLIN, OH 43017-0256	X					
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# Signatures

DANA KLEIN, ATTORNEY-IN-FACT

10/01/2008

\*\*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).
- DISPOSITION WAS PURSUANT TO THE CONSUMMATION OF THE AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER, DATED AS OF APRIL 23, 2008, AMONG TRIARC COMPANIES, INC., GREEN MERGER SUB, INC. AND WENDY'S INTERNATIONAL, INC. (THE "MERGER AGREEMENT"). UNDER THE MERGER AGREEMENT EACH OPTION TO PURCHASE A WENDY'S
- (3) COMMON SHARE BECAME FULLY VESTED AND WAS CONVERTED TO AN OPTION TO PURCHASE 4.25 COMMON SHARES OF THE COMBINED COMPANY, WENDY'S/ARBY'S GROUP, INC., AS OF THE EFFECTIVE TIME OF THE MERGER, SEPTEMBER 29, 2008. THE OPTION EXERCISE PRICE FOR EACH OPTION TO PURCHASE A WENDY'S COMMON SHARE WAS DIVIDED BY 4.25. THE CLOSING PRICE OF WENDY'S COMMON SHARES WAS \$19.21 PER SHARE ON THAT DATE.
- (1) SHARES SHOWN ON TABLE 1 INCLUDE SHARES ACQUIRED PURSUANT TO THE DIVIDEND REINVESTMENT PROVISIONS OF RESTRICTED STOCK AND RESTRICTED STOCK UNIT AWARDS MADE UNDER THE ISSUER'S 2003 AND

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#### 2007 STOCK INCENTIVE PLANS.

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(THE "MERGER AGREEMENT"). UNDER THE MERGER AGREEMENT EACH WENDY'S COMMON SHARE BECAME FULLY VESTED AND WAS CONVERTED TO 4.25 COMMON SHARES OF THE COMBINED COMPANY, WENDY'S/ARBY'S GROUP, INC., AS OF THE EFFECTIVE TIME OF THE MERGER, SEPTEMBER 29, 2008. THE CLOSING PRICE OF WENDY'S COMMON SHARES WAS \$19.21 PER SHARE ON THAT DATE.

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