BEST BUY CO INC

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| | | | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) |
| | | | _ X_ Director |
| Name and Address of Reporting Person * | | | _ <u>X</u> 10% Owner |
| Schulze Richard M. (Last) (First) (Middle) | Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | 4. Statement for (Month/Day/Year) | _X_ Officer (give title below) |
| | Best Buy Co., Inc. BBY | 12/30/02 | _ Other (specify below) |
| 7075 Flying Cloud Drive (Street) | | | Chairman of the Board |
| Eden Prairie, MN 55344 (City) (State) (Zip) | 3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary) | 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year) | 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

| | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/ | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/ Year) | | 4 Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) | Owned Following | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
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| Common Stock | 12/09/02 | G (1) | V | 2,550 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 12/30/02 | ઉ લ્કુક | ¥ | 95456H | (A) (D) | Price | 49,228,507 | I | Trustee for revocable trust |
| Common Stock | 12/09/02 | G (1) | v | 2,550 | A | | 2,550 | I (3) | Trustee for children's trusts |
| Common Stock | 12/30/02 | J (2) | v | 633,446 | A | | 633,446 | I | Sole general partner of limited partnership |
| Common Stock | 12/30/02 | J (2) | v | 21,115 | A | | 21,115 | I | Sole member of LLC which is sole general partner of limited partnership |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 488,245 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 1,150 | I (3) | Spouse |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 47,535 | I | 401(k) Plan |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 753,784 | I | GRAT |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 762,029 | I | Spouse GRAT |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 126,582 | I | Spouse Irrevocable Trust |
| Common Stock | _ | | | _ | | | 684 | I | Spouse IRA |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 690 | I | IRA |
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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) | or Exercise Price of Derivative | Date (Month/Day/ | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/ Year) | Code | e (Instr. 3, rr. 8) 4 and 5) | | | fumber f Derivative ecurities A) or Disposed f (D) 6. Date Exercisable and | | | Number | | erivative Reported | | 11. Natu of Indire Benefic Owners (Instr. 4 | |
|---|---------------------------------------|---------------------|---|------|---------------------------------|-----|-----|---|---------|--------------------|---------|--|--------------------|---|---|--|
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$2.13 | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Exercisable | 4/17/07 | Title Common Stock | 219,000 | | 219,000 | D | | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$11.46 | | | | | | | | 4/23/08 | Common Stock | 480,000 | | 480,000 | D | | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$34.79 | | | | | | | (4) | 4/15/09 | Common Stock | 150,000 | | 150,000 | D | | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$34.79 | | | | | | | | 4/15/09 | Common Stock | 7,500 | | 7,500 | D | | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$46.75 | | | | | | | (4) | 4/13/10 | Common Stock | 600,000 | | 600,000 | D | | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$46.75 | | | | | | | | 4/13/10 | Common Stock | 7,500 | | 7,500 | D | | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$37.06 | | | | | | | (4) | 4/26/11 | Common Stock | 375,000 | | 375,000 | D | | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$37.06 | | | | | | | | 4/26/11 | Common Stock | 7,500 | | 7,500 | D | | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$51.27 | | | | | | | (4) | 4/10/12 | Common Stock | 127,500 | | 127,500 | D | | |
| Stock Option (Right to | \$51.27 | | | | | | | | 4/10/12 | Common Stock | 7,500 | | 7,500 | D | | |

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| (1) Inclu trustee. | des gifts to s | six trusts for t | he benefit o | f the ch | ildren | of t | he report | ng perso | on s spou | se for w | hich the re | porting per | son is the | |
| partnersl B, a limit | nip of which ed partners | ansferred to to the reporting hip of which t ing person dis | g person is the reporting | he sole g perso | Genera n is the | al Pa e sol | artner, an e membei | d 21,115 of a lim | shares to | Olympo ity comp | us Investm pany that i | ents Limited s the sole G | d Partnershi eneral | |
| | | rson disclaims he beneficial o | | | | | | | | | | | ion that the | |
| (4) The o | ptions vest i | n four equal i | nstallments | beginn | ing on | e yea | ar from tl | ie date o | f grant. | | | | | |
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| | | /s/ Nancy J. | . Wigchers | | | | | | | | 1/20/03 | | | |
| | ** | Signature of R | Reporting Per | rson | | | | | | | Date | | | |
| | | Attorney-i Richard M | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Reminder | : Report on a | a separate line | for each clas | s of sec | urities | bene | eficially ov | vned dire | ectly or inc | lirectly. | | | | |
| * If the fo | rm is filed b | y more than or | ne reporting p | person, | see Ins | truct | ion 4(b)(v |). | | | | | | |
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POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that I, Richard M. Schulze, hereby constitute and appoint Joseph M. Joyce, Nancy J. Wigchers, Mark Geldernick, and Joseph W. Wirth and each of them, my true and lawful attorneys-in-fact and agents, each acting alone, with full powers of substitution and resubstitution for me and in my name, place and stead, to sign any reports on Form 4 (Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership of Securities) and Form 5 (Annual Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership) relating to transactions by me in Common Stock or other securities of Best Buy Co., Inc., and all amendments thereto, and to file the same, with the Securities and Exchange Commission and the New York Stock Exchange, Inc., granting unto said attorneys-in-fact and agents, and each of them, or their substitutes, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite or necessary to be done, as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents, and each of them, or their substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof. This Power of Attorney shall be effective until such time as I deliver a written revocation thereof to my above-named attorneys-in-fact and agents.

Dated: August 26, 2002 /s/ Richard M. Schulze

Richard M. Schulze