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#### COCA-COLA EUROPEAN PARTNERS US, LLC

Form 4 June 01, 2016

## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* WOOD PHOEBE A

(First)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

COCA-COLA EUROPEAN PARTNERS US, LLC [CCE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

05/28/2016

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

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2500 WINDY RIDGE PARKWAY, 14TH FLOOR

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Middle)

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Officer (give title \_ Other (specify

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

\_X\_\_ Director

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

ATLANTA, GA 30339

| (City)                               | (State) (                               | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |   |                                      |                  |  |  |   |            |
|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------------------------------|------------------|--|--|---|------------|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year)                      | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | ransaction(A) or Disposed of ode (D) |                  | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |            |
|                                      |   |  | Code V                                  | Amount                               | (A)<br>or<br>(D) | Price  | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)                             | (mou. 1)  | (Histi: 1) |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 05/28/2016                              |  | M                                       | 3,657<br>(1)                         | A                | \$ 0<br>(1)  | 3,657  | D   |            |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 05/28/2016                              |  | M                                       | 23,305<br>(1)                        | A                | \$ 0<br>(1)  | 26,962   | D   |            |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 05/28/2016                              |  | M                                       | 18,593<br>(1)                        | A                | \$ 0<br>(1)  | 45,555   | D   |            |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 05/28/2016                              |  | D                                       | 45,555<br>(2)                        | D                | \$ 0<br>(2)  | 0  | D   |            |

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)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |                                     |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                  | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable                                      | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares |
| 2010<br>DSU<br>Award                                | (3)   | 05/28/2016                              |   | M                                       | 3,657   | (3)  | (3)                | Common<br>Stock   | 3,657                               |
| Phantom<br>Stock                                    | <u>(4)</u>  | 05/28/2016                              |   | M                                       | 23,305  | <u>(4)</u>   | <u>(4)</u>         | Common<br>Stock   | 23,305                              |
| Quarterly<br>DSU<br>Award                           | (3)   | 05/28/2016                              |   | M                                       | 18,593  | (3)  | (3)                | Common<br>Stock   | 18,593                              |

### **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |
| WOOD PHOEBE A<br>2500 WINDY RIDGE PARKWAY<br>14TH FLOOR<br>ATLANTA, GA 30339 | X             |           |         |       |  |  |

## **Signatures**

Suzanne N. Forlidas, attorney-in-fact

\*\*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) Represents phantom stock units which became fully vested and were settled for shares of Common Stock immediately prior to the consummation of the Merger, as defined below.

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- 45,555 shares of Common Stock were disposed of at the effective time of the merger of Coca-Cola Enterprises, Inc. (the "Company") with and into Coca-Cola European Partners US, LLC, formerly known as Orange MergeCo, LLC ("MergeCo"), on May 28, 2016 (the "Merger"), pursuant to a merger agreement, dated as of August 6, 2015, by and among the Company, Coca-Cola European Partners plc,
- (2) formerly known as Spark Orange Limited and Coca-Cola European Partners Limited ("CCEP"), Coca-Cola European Partners Holdings US, Inc., formerly known as Orange U.S. HoldCo, LLC, and MergeCo in exchange for (i) 45,555 validly issued, fully paid, non-assessable ordinary shares, nominal value ?0.01 per share, of CCEP and (ii) cash consideration of \$14.50 per share of Common Stock.
- (3) Phantom stock units credited to the reporting person's Quarterly DSU Award account under the Deferred Compensation Plan for Nonemployee Directors. Payment of the number of shares credited to the account occurs upon the Director's departure from the Board.
- Phantom stock units acquired pursuant to a deferred compensation agreement between reporting person and Company, increases to the Director's phantom stock credits under the Deferred Compensation Plan for nonemployee Directors due to deemed reinvestments of hypothetical dividends and/or the aggregation of fractional share units not previously reported. Payment of the number of shares credited to the account occurs upon the Director's departure from the Board.

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