

Barton Sharron L.  
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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Â Barton Sharron L.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ARBY'S RESTAURANT  
GROUP, INC. (ARG), Â 1155  
PERIMETER CENTER WEST

(Street)

ATLANTA, Â GA Â 30338

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

01/29/2008

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
TRIARC COMPANIES INC [TRY;TRY.B]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer \_\_\_ Other  
(give title below) (specify below)  
Chief Admin of ARG

6. 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 Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security  
(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned  
(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:  
Direct (D)  
or Indirect (I)  
(Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership  
(Instr. 5)

Class B Common Stock, Series 1

209,219 <sup>(1)</sup>

D Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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### Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security  
(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date  
(Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security  
(Instr. 4)

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership  
(Instr. 5)

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|                                                        | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title                                   | Amount or<br>Number of<br>Shares | Security | Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 5) |   |
|--------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------------|---|
| Employee Stock Option<br>(right to buy) <sup>(2)</sup> | Â <sup>(3)</sup>    | 04/28/2016         | Class B<br>Common<br>Stock,<br>Series 1 | 30,400                           | \$ 16.22 | D                                              | Â |
| Employee Stock Option<br>(right to buy) <sup>(2)</sup> | Â <sup>(4)</sup>    | 05/23/2017         | Class B<br>Common<br>Stock,<br>Series 1 | 15,000                           | \$ 15.84 | D                                              | Â |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                                              | Relationships |           |                      |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|----------------------|-------|
|                                                                                                             | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer              | Other |
| Barton Sharron L.<br>ARBY'S RESTAURANT GROUP, INC. (ARG)<br>1155 PERIMETER CENTER WEST<br>ATLANTA, GA 30338 | Â             | Â         | Â Chief Admin of ARG | Â     |

## Signatures

/s/ Barton,  
Sharron L

02/08/2008

<sup>\*\*</sup>Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).

- In connection with the acquisition of RTM Restaurant Group, Inc. (RTM) and certain affiliated entities (the RTM Acquisition) by Triarc Companies, Inc. (Triarc), the reporting person received shares of Triarc Class B Common Stock, Series 1, as consideration. 10,545 shares issued to the reporting person in the acquisition, are being held in escrow to secure the reporting person's indemnification obligations under the definitive agreements related to the RTM Acquisition.
- (1)
  - (2) With tandem net exercise and tax withholding rights.
  - (3) The option vests in three equal installments. One-third of the options vested on April 28, 2007. One-third of the options will vest on each of April 28, 2008 and 2009.
  - (4) The option vests in three equal installments on May 23, 2008, 2009 and 2010.

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