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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, 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 *
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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
YUM BRANDS INC [YUM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1441 GARDINER LANE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/24/2008

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)

SVP Finance and Controller

(Street)
LOUISVILLE, KY 40213

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	04/24/2008	04/24/2008	M		20,000	A	\$ 12.1625	30,094	D
Common Stock	04/24/2008	04/24/2008	S		5,000	D	\$ 40.88	25,094	D
Common Stock	04/24/2008	04/24/2008	S		5,000	D	\$ 40.85	20,094	D
Common Stock	04/24/2008	04/24/2008	S		600	D	\$ 40.51	19,494	D
Common Stock	04/24/2008	04/24/2008	S		100	D	\$ 40.52	19,394	D

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Common Stock	04/24/2008	04/24/2008	S	9,300	D	\$ 40.5	10,094	D
Common Stock	04/25/2008	04/25/2008	M	15,046	A	\$ 12.1625	25,140	D
Common Stock	04/25/2008	04/25/2008	S	2,600	D	\$ 41	22,540	D
Common Stock	04/25/2008	04/25/2008	S	1,400	D	\$ 40.5	21,140	D
Common Stock	04/25/2008	04/25/2008	S	6,700	D	\$ 40.49	14,440	D
Common Stock	04/25/2008	04/25/2008	S	4,346	D	\$ 40.48	10,094	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 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. Number of Derivative 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 Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.1625	04/24/2008	04/24/2008	M		20,000		01/23/2007	01/23/2013	Common Stock	20,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.1625	04/25/2008	04/25/2008	M		15,046		01/23/2007	01/23/2013	Common Stock	15,046

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
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Signatures

Ted Knopf 04/25/2008

__Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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