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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	4. Statement for (Month/Day/Year	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
Buffett, Warren E. (Last) (First) (Middle) **1440 Kiewit Plaza** (Street) **Omaha, NE 68131** (City) (State) (Zip)	**The Coca Cola Company KO** 3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)	**04/01/2003** 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)	X Director _ 10% Owner _ Officer (give title below) _ Other (specify below) Description 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

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/D	Price			
Common Stock, $0.25 par value							**$**	**200,000,000**	**I**	**See Notes (1) (2)**

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code (Instr.8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date(ED) (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount (DE) Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr.5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following

	Security	Year)	(Month/ Day/ Year)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)									Reported Transaction(s) (Instr.4)	
				Code	V	A	D	DE	ED	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Phantom Stock Units	**1-for-1**	**04/01/2003**		**A**		**856.5016**		**(3)**	**(3)**	**Common Stock**	**856.5016**	**$40.23**	**15,434.0574 (4)**	

Explanation of Responses:

(1) The stock is owned directly by the following subsidiaries of Berkshire Hathaway Inc.: National Indemnity Company (137,187,200 shares); National Fire and Marine Insurance Company (7,495,200 shares); Columbia Insurance Company (40,141,600 shares); Cypress Insurance Company (912,000 shares); National Liability & Fire Insurance Company (1,776,000 shares); Wesco-Financial Insurance
Company (7,205,600 shares); Oak River Insurance Company (720,000 shares); National Indemnity Company of the South (1,002,400 shares); National Indemnity Company of Mid-America (1,036,000 shares); Redwood Fire & Casualty Insurance Company (1,644,000 shares); Nebraska Furniture Mart (480,000 shares); and Central States Indemnity Co. of Omaha (400,000 shares).

(2) Mr. Buffett is Chairman of the Board of Berkshire Hathaway Inc. and may be deemed to control Berkshire Hathaway Inc. and its subsidiaries. Mr. Buffett disclaims 'beneficial ownership' for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, of shares owned by Berkshire Hathaway Inc. or its subsidiaries.

(3) The phantom stock units were accrued under The Coca-Cola Company Deferred Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors and are to be settled 100% in common stock of The Coca-Cola Company after the Reporting Person leaves the Board.

(4) Includes 79.7181 phantom stock units accrued as a result of crediting phantom dividends.

By: /s/ Warren E. Buffett

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date: April 3, 2003

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

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