

CARTERS INC
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
ROWAN FREDERICK J II

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O CARTER'S, INC., THE
PROSCENIUM, 1170 PEACHTREE
STREET NE, SUITE 900

(Street)

ATLANTA, GA 30309

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CARTERS INC [CRI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/18/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chief Executive Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code V	Amount		
Common Stock	08/18/2005		S	2,000	D \$ 59.27	56,893	D
Common Stock	08/18/2005		S	1,800	D \$ 59.15	55,093	D
Common Stock	08/18/2005		S	2,600	D \$ 59.53	52,493	D
Common Stock	08/18/2005		S	2,300	D \$ 59.5	50,193	D
Common Stock	08/18/2005		S	1,000	D \$ 59.6	49,193	D

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Common Stock	08/18/2005	S	900	D	\$ 59.54	48,293	D
Common Stock	08/18/2005	S	900	D	\$ 59.52	47,393	D
Common Stock	08/18/2005	S	900	D	\$ 59.55	46,493	D
Common Stock	08/18/2005	S	500	D	\$ 59.7	45,993	D
Common Stock	08/18/2005	S	500	D	\$ 59.61	45,493	D
Common Stock	08/18/2005	S	200	D	\$ 59.74	45,293	D
Common Stock	08/18/2005	S	300	D	\$ 59.51	44,993	D
Common Stock	08/18/2005	S	100	D	\$ 59.19	44,893	D
Common Stock	08/19/2005	S	1,700	D	\$ 58.9	43,193	D
Common Stock	08/19/2005	S	2,200	D	\$ 59	40,993	D
Common Stock	08/19/2005	S	600	D	\$ 59.01	40,393	D
Common Stock	08/19/2005	S	400	D	\$ 59.04	39,993	D
Common Stock	08/19/2005	S	800	D	\$ 59.03	39,193	D
Common Stock	08/19/2005	S	200	D	\$ 59.12	38,993	D
Common Stock	08/19/2005	S	100	D	\$ 59.02	38,893	D
Common Stock	08/22/2005	S	200	D	\$ 59.01	38,693	D
Common Stock	08/22/2005	S	9,800	D	\$ 59	28,893	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)**

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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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V (A) (D)		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ROWAN FREDERICK J II C/O CARTER'S, INC., THE PROSCENIUM 1170 PEACHTREE STREET NE, SUITE 900 ATLANTA, GA 30309	X		Chief Executive Officer	

Signatures

By: /s/ Fredrick J. Rowan, II 08/22/2005

**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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