UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 FORM 4
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP
() Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.
Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
Triarc Companies, Inc.
280 Park Avenue
New York, NY 10017
USA
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Encore Capital Group, Inc. (formerly MCM Capital Group, Inc.)
ECPG
<ol><li>IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)</li></ol>
4. Statement for Month/Year
April 30, 2002
5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
<ol> <li>Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)</li> <li>() Director (X) 10% Owner () Officer (give title below) () Other (specify below)</li> </ol>

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	2.  3.  4.Securities Acc   Transaction   or Disposed of               Date  Code V  Amount		5.Amount of   Securities   Beneficially   Owned at   End of Month	6.Dir  7.Nature of Indirect  ect   Beneficial Ownership  (D)or    Indir    ect(I)			
Common Stock	4/16/0 X(1)   21,822	(A) \$.01	625,609	(I)  (2)			
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Table II Derivati	LVe Securitites Acquire	ea, Disposea or, or e	senericially Owned

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	rity	Date	Code	/  Amount	Ι	ble				Ι	Month	(I)	
Common Stock Warrants	\$0.01	4/16/	/ X(1)	21,822	١D	lImmed	10/31	Common	Stock 21,822	\$0.01	10	(I) (2)	
(right to buy)		02			İ	.	/05						

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Reflects exercise by CTW Funding, LLC of common stock warrants and distribution to the Reporting Person of

its pro rata share of the Common Stock

received.

(2) All such shares are held by Madison West Associates Corp., a wholly-owned

subsidiary of Triarc Companies,

Inc. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed

an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such

securities for purposes of Section 16 or for

any other purpose.

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON

Stuart I. Rosen, SVP/AGC on behalf of Triarc Companies, Inc

DATE May 6, 2002