## FORM 4

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 <sup>*</sup>			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>PAPA JOHNS INTERNATIONAL INC</u> [ PZZA ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) (First) (Middle)			[ [ ]		Director	10% Owner			
					Officer (give title	Other (specify			
		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/03/2005		below)	below)			
P.O. BOX 99900			03/03/2003						
,									
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Cl	neck Applicable Line)			
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					Form filed by More than O	ne Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr.	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
		Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)

## 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. Transac Code (Ir 8)		Derivative		Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Option to buy <sup>(1)</sup>	\$36.97	05/03/2005		Α		8,500		05/03/2007	05/03/2010	Common stock	8,500	\$0	8,500	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Option to buy under 2003 Papa John's International, Inc. Stock Option Plan for Non-Employee Directors

Kenneth M. Cox, by power of attorney

05/05/2005

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

 $^{\ast}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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