

MAY PETER W  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
MAY PETER W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
ENCORE CAPITAL GROUP INC  
[(ECPG)]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
06/17/2005

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

C/O TRIARC COMPANIES, INC., 280 PARK AVENUE

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10017

(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)	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)		
				(A) or (D)	Price				
				Code	V	Amount			
Common Stock	06/17/2005		J <sup>(1)</sup>	V	668,450	D	\$ 0 0	I	By JM and LM Trusts <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock							15,000	D	
Common Stock							1,296,800	I	By Madison West <sup>(2) (3)</sup>
Common Stock							101,275	I	By Triarc <sup>(2) (4)</sup>



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(4) All such securities are held by Triarc. Mr. May is an officer, director and significant stockholder of Triarc.

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