#### **NELSON THOMAS C**

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January 27, 2006

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **NELSON THOMAS C** 

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

YUM BRANDS INC [YUM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/26/2006

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

**OMB APPROVAL** 

10% Owner

Other (specify

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NATIONAL GYPSUM COMPANY, 2001 REXDALE

**ROAD** 

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X\_ Director

Officer (give title

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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

below)

CHARLOTTE, NC 28211

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

1. Title of Derivative Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

5. Number of TransactionDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** 

7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu

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| Security (Instr. 3)                | or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security |            | any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed of (D (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | (Month/Day/Year)       |                    | (Instr. 3 and 4) |                 |
|------------------------------------|---|------------|-------------------------|-----------------|---|------------------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
|                                    |   |            |                         | Code V          | (A) (I  | D) Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title            | An<br>Nu<br>Sha |
| Phantom<br>Stock                   | <u>(1)</u>  | 01/26/2006 | 01/26/2006              | A               | 2,043.52  | (2)                    | (3)                | Common<br>Stock  | 2,              |
| Phantom<br>Stock                   | (1)   | 01/26/2006 | 01/26/2006              | A               | 510.88  | <u>(4)</u>             | <u>(3)</u>         | Common<br>Stock  | 5               |
| YUM Stock<br>Appreciation<br>Right | \$ 48.935   | 01/26/2006 | 01/26/2006              | A               | 2,590   | 01/26/2006             | 01/26/2016         | Common<br>Stock  | 2               |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
|                                | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |
| ELSON THOMAS C                 |               |           |         |       |  |  |  |

NELSON THOMAS C NATIONAL GYPSUM COMPANY 2001 REXDALE ROAD CHARLOTTE, NC 28211



## **Signatures**

Thomas C. Nelson 01/27/2006

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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

Date

- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Conversion occurs on a one-for-one basis.
- (2) Shares of phantom stock are payable 7/01/2016 and are subject to earlier withdrawal in accordance with the terms of Yum!'s deferr ed compensation plan.
- (3) The YUM! Brands, Inc. Executive Income Deferral Plan does not have specified expiration dates.
- (4) Shares of phantom stock payable upon termination and are subject to earlier withdrawal in accordance with the terms of YUM! Brand s, Inc. deferred compensation plan.

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