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# FORM 4

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

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PULVER DAVID		1*	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CARTERS INC</u> [ CRI ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle)		( )	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/24/2003		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
(Street) PALM BEACH GARDENS (City)	FL (State)	33410 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi Line) X	dual or Joint/Group Fil Form filed by One Re Form filed by More th Person	eporting Person			

### 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)			4. Securities Disposed Of ( 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	- Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	10/24/2003		J <sup>(1)</sup>		25,000	A	\$19	106,235	I	See Footnote <sup>(2)</sup>

#### 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. Transa Code ( 8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D)	f Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) eccurities acquired A) or hisposed f (D) nstr. 3, 4		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	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				

#### Explanation of Responses:

1. Mr. Pulver purchased 25,000 shares of common stock of the issuer through a directed share program undertaken in connection with the initial public offering.

2. Mr. Pulver owns 25,000 shares of common stock of the issuer "Common Stock" directly. Cornerstone Capital, Inc., owns 81,235 shares of Common Stock directly. As President of Cornerstone Capital, Inc., Mr. Pulver may be deemed to have voting or dispositive power with respect to these 81,235 shares of Common Stock. Mr. Pulver disclaims any beneficial ownership of such shares of Common Stock except to the extent of his pecuniary interest.

# /s/ David Pulver

10/28/2003

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

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

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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