## FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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Instruction 1(b).	Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* $ \underline{ Montgoris \ William \ J} $					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  CARTERS INC [ CRI ]										all app	all applicable) Director		g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner			
		C., THE PROSC		0		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/10/2007											Officer (give title below)		Other below)	(specify	
1170 PEACHTREE STREET, NE., SUITE 900  (Street)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
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(City)	(St	ate) (	Zip)																		
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	efici	ally	Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D					/Day/Year) i		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3,			4 and Se Be Ov		Securities Seneficially		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	(	A) or D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(	
Common	mon Stock 08/1				)/2007			A		6,645 <sup>(1)</sup> A		A	(2	6,645		5,645	I	)			
		Та	ble II - [								sed of, onvertib				y Ov	vned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  (Instr. 3)  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Y				Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of Deriv Secur Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D)	of E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			Deri	ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ow For Dire or I (I) (	nership m: ect (D) ndirect Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. 4,583 of the shares of common stock reported are subject to certain service restrictions that lapse upon the third anniversary of the grant date.
- 2. Granted at no cost to the reporting person.

/s/ Brendan M. Gibbons,

Attorney-in-Fact for William J. 08/14/2007

**Montgoris** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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The undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints Brendan M. Gibbons, Secretary of Carter's, Inc., signing singly, as the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Carter's, Inc. (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"), and the rules thereunder;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4 or 5 and to timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to the attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all the acts such attorney-in-fact shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorney-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, is not assuming any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Act.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorney-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of the date listed below.

Date: August 10, 2007

By: /s/ William J. Montgoris Name: William J. Montgoris