Wendy's Co Form 4 July 09, 2015

## FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* TRIAN FUND MANAGEMENT,

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

L.P.

Wendy's Co [WEN]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

Stock

(Middle)

(Zip)

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

Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

280 PARK AVENUE, 41ST FLOOR 07/08/2015

(Street)

(State)

(First)

below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

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Person

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NEW YORK, NY 10017

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities Acquired (A) or 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDisposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect Following (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Please see Common 13,232,044 \$ 40,792,537 explanation 07/08/2015 D D

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)

below (2) (3)

(4)

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1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Titl Amou		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
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									Amount		
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						Date	Expiration	Title	Number		
						Exercisable Date	of				
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
<b>Fg</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
TRIAN FUND MANAGEMENT, L.P. 280 PARK AVENUE 41ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017		X				
Trian Partners Parallel Fund I General Partner, LLC 280 PARK AVENUE 41ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017		X				
Trian Partners General Partner, LLC 280 PARK AVENUE 41ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017		X				
Trian Fund Management GP, LLC 280 PARK AVENUE 41ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017		X				
Trian Partners Strategic Investment Fund General Partner, LLC 280 PARK AVENUE 41ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017		X				

# **Signatures**

Trian Fund Management, L.P., By: Trian Fund Management GP, LLC, General Partner, By: Edward P. Garden				
	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		
Edward P. Garden, Member		07/09/2015		
	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- The number of shares in column 4 represents the number of shares the Trian Funds and Trian GP (each as defined below) will sell to the Issuer pursuant to the Stock Purchase Agreement dated June 2, 2015 and the number of shares in column 5 represents the number of shares that the Trian Funds and Trian GP will beneficially own following the closing of such sale. The closing of the sale is expected to occur on July 16, 2015 or such other later date as the parties may agree.
- Trian Fund Management GP, LLC ("Trian Management GP") is the general partner of Trian Fund Management, L.P ("Trian Management, L.P. ("Trian Onshore"), Which serves as the management company for Trian Partners, L.P. ("Trian Onshore"), Trian Partners Master Fund, L.P. ("Trian Offshore"), Trian Partners Parallel Fund I, L.P. ("Parallel Fund I") and Trian Partners Strategic Investment Fund, L.P. ("Strategic Fund" and collectively, the "Trian Funds").
- (3) (FN 1, contd.) Trian Partners General Partner, LLC is the general partner of Trian Partners GP, L.P. ("Trian GP"), which is the general partner of Trian Onshore and Trian Offshore. Trian Partners Parallel Fund I General Partner, LLC is the general partner of Parallel Fund I. Trian Partners Strategic Investment Fund GP, L.P., which is the general partner of Strategic Fund.
- Each reporting person states that neither the filing of this statement nor anything herein shall be deemed an admission that such person is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise, the beneficial owner of any securities covered by this statement. Each reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities covered by this statement, except to the extent of the pecuniary interest of such person in such securities.

#### Remarks:

Each of Trian Partners, L.P., Trian Partners Master Fund, L.P., Trian Partners Parallel Fund I, L.P., Trian Partners Strategic In Trian Partners Strategic Investment Fund GP, L.P. (collectively with the Trian Funds and Trian GP, the "LP Entities") is also a joint filers of a report, the LP Entities have filed a separate Form 4 that relates to the same securities and transactions reported ("Trian Management") and each of the other persons that is signatory to this Form 4. Nelson Peltz, Peter W. May and Edward I which serves as the management company for the Trian Funds, and are members of Trian Partners General Partner, LLC, the glecisions made on behalf of each of the 11 joint filers. Messrs. Peltz, May and Garden currently report their holdings and transand the filing by the other joint filers are also reported in the filings made by each of Messrs. Peltz, May and Garden and in ear reported in this filing and in the filing by the other joint filers are also reported in the filings made by each of Messrs. Peltz, M

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