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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 * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading NOVAK DAVID C Issuer Symbol YUM BRANDS INC [YUM] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X_ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 1441 GARDINER LANE 07/21/2010 below) Chair CEO and Pres (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting LOUISVILLE, KY 40213 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ble I - Non	-Derivative	Secur	ities Acquire	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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. Securitie orDisposed o (Instr. 3, 4	f (D) and 5)	uired (A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	07/21/2010		Code V	Amount 339,996	or (D)	Price \$ 12.2038	(Instr. 3 and 4) 539,726.08	D	
Common Stock	07/21/2010		S	339,996	D	\$ 40.6104 (1)	199,730.08	D	
Common Stock	07/22/2010		M	425,600	A	\$ 12.2038	625,330.08	D	
Common Stock	07/22/2010		S	425,600	D	\$ 40.4583 (2)	199,730.08	D	
	07/22/2010		M	37,100	A		236,830.08	D	

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Common Stock	\$ 12.2038			
Common Stock		30,548	I	401(k) Plan
Common Stock		0	I	By Daughter

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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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ionDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun Numbe Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.2038	07/21/2010		M		339,996	12/31/2002	12/31/2011	Common Stock	339,9
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.2038	07/22/2010		M		425,600	12/31/2002	12/31/2011	Common Stock	425,6
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.2038	07/22/2010		M		37,100	12/31/2002	12/31/2011	Common Stock	37,10

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
	X		Chair CEO and Pres					

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NOVAK DAVID C 1441 GARDINER LANE LOUISVILLE, KY 40213

Signatures

/s/ M. Gayle Hobson, POA

07/23/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$40.40 to \$41.19. The price reported above reflects the average (1) price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request, to the SEC staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$40.12 to \$40.74. The price reported above reflects the average (2) price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request, to the SEC staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

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