

WENDYS INTERNATIONAL INC  
Form DEFA14A  
April 18, 2008

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported):

April 18, 2008

WENDY'S INTERNATIONAL, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio

001-08116

31-0785108

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

4288 West Dublin-Granville Road, Dublin,  
Ohio

43017

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

614-764-3100

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))



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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On April 18, 2008, James V. Pickett, Chairman of the Board of the Company and Chairman of the Special Committee of the Board of Directors of the Company, sent a letter to Mr. Peter W. May, President of Trian Fund Management, L.P. and Vice Chairman of Triarc Companies, Inc., responding to certain statements in Mr. May's letter to Mr. Pickett also dated April 18, 2008. A copy of Mr. Pickett's letter is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99 - Letter of James V. Pickett dated April 18, 2008.

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

WENDY'S INTERNATIONAL, INC.

*April 18, 2008*

By: *Leon M. McCorkle, Jr.*

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*Name: Leon M. McCorkle, Jr.  
Title: Executive Vice President, General Counsel and  
Secretary*

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<b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
99	Letter of James V. Pickett dated April 18, 2008.