

CARTERS INC
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FORM 5

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PACIFICO JOSEPH

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O CARTER'S, INC., THE
PROSCENIUM, 1170
PEACHTREE STREET NE, SUITE
900**

(Street)

ATLANTA, GA 30309

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CARTERS INC [CRI]

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
12/31/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

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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) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|--|-----------------------------------|
| Common Stock | | | | (A) or (D) Price | 237,944 | 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)

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| 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 Derivative 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|-----------------|---|
| | | | | | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 29.61 | 03/22/2004 | Â | A4 | 100,000 Â | Â Â ⁽¹⁾ | 03/22/2014 | Common Stock |
| Performance Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 62.35 | Â | Â | Â | Â Â | Â Â ⁽²⁾ | 11/10/2015 | Common Stock |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 6.16 | Â | Â | Â | Â Â | Â Â ⁽³⁾ | 08/15/2011 | Common Stock |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PACIFICO JOSEPH
C/O CARTER'S, INC., THE PROSCENIUM
1170 PEACHTREE STREET NE, SUITE 900
ATLANTA, GA 30309

Â Â Â President Â

Signatures

Joseph Pacifico 02/14/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).
- (1) These options are time options exercisable in five equal annual installments beginning on March 22, 2005.
- (2) These options are performance options that vest at the end of fiscal year 2009 upon the achievement of defined performance criteria.
- (3) These options are exercisable in five equal annual installments beginning on August 15, 2002.

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