

CULVER JOHN  
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**FORM 4**

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
CULVER JOHN

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2401 UTAH AVENUE SOUTH,  
SUITE 800

(Street)

SEATTLE, WA 98134

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
STARBUCKS CORP [SBUX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/07/2011

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)  
pres, Starbucks Coffee Intl

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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
Common Stock	09/07/2011		M		17,059	A	\$ 22.87
Common Stock	09/07/2011		M		33,070	A	\$ 8.64
Common Stock	09/07/2011		M		5,000	A	\$ 11.14
Common Stock	09/07/2011		S		52,758	D	\$ 39

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.



## Explanation of Responses:

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\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

(1) The option, representing a right to purchase a total of 23,945 shares, became exercisable in one increment of 5,987 shares on November 19, 2008, and two increments of 5,986 shares each on November 19, 2009 and November 19, 2010, and becomes exercisable as to one increment of 5,986 shares on November 19, 2011.

(2) The option became exercisable in two increments of 16,535 shares each on November 17, 2009 and November 17, 2010, and becomes exercisable as to two increments of 16,534 shares each on November 17, 2011 and November 17, 2012.

(3) The option became exercisable in two increments of 12,850 shares each on March 17, 2010 and March 17, 2011 and becomes exercisable as to two increments of 12,849 shares each on March 17, 2012 and March 17, 2013.

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