FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>ABELENDA GUSTAVO H</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KRAFT FOODS INC [KFT]									Check al	all applicable) Director		g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		
(Last)	(Fii	(First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/27/2004									Officer (give title below) Group Vio		Other (specify below) e President		
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by Mare then One Reporting					
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date				2. Transa	ction	2A Ex	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A)			(A) or	d 5) 5.	Amount of ecurities eneficially wned Following	Fo (D)	Ownership rm: Direct or Indirect (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
					Code	v			Amount	(A)	or	Price	Tr	eported ansaction(s) astr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)			
Class A Common Stock 01/2					/2004				A		13,970	0 A \$		\$32.	225	18,430		D		
	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)	Execution if any	Execution Date, f any Month/Day/Year) Transaction Code (Instr. 8) Sec Act (A) Dis of (Instr. and Code)		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) of Dispo of (D) (Instrand 5	rative rities ired r osed)	6. Date Expiration (Month/L) Date Exercise	on Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amount or Number of Title Shares			8. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. 5	ve derivative Securities	y	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Theodore L. Banks, by power of attorney

01/29/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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).

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KRAFT FOODS INC.

Authorization and Designation to Sign and File Section 16 Reporting Forms

The undersigned, an officer of Kraft Foods Inc., a Virginia corporation (the "Company"), does hereby authorize and designate Theodore L. Banks, Krista A. Endres, Terry M. Faulk, Marc S. Firestone, Richard R. Floersch or Gerhard Pleuhs to sign and file on his or her behalf any and all Forms 3, 4, and 5 relating to equity securities of the Company with the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to the requirements of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Section 16"). This authorization, unless earlier revoked in writing, shall be valid until the undersigned's reporting obligations under Section 16 with respect to equity securities of the Company shall cease. All prior such authorizations are hereby revoked.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Authorization and Designation on this 6th day of January, 2004.

/s/ Gustavo Abelenda