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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>SMITH ELIZABETH A</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>555 S. BROADWAY</u>  (Street) <u>TARRYTOWN NY 10591</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>KRAFT FOODS INC [ KFT ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Group Vice President</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>01/27/2004</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person  <input type="checkbox"/> 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			
Class A Common Stock	01/27/2004		A		17,070	A	\$32.225	35,190	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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)					

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Theodore L. Banks, by 01/29/2004  
power of attorney Date

\*\* 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 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 17 day of December, 2003.

/s/ Elizabeth Smith