MCGRATH ROBERT E

Form 4

January 17, 2003

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FORM 4	UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549	OMB APPROVAL
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longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue.	STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP	
See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses)	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	OMB Number: 3235-0287 Expires: January 31, 2005 Estimated average burden hours per response 0.5

			6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
			(Check all applicable)
			_ Director
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *			_ 10% Owner
McGrath Robert E.			$\underline{\mathbf{X}}$ Officer (give title below)
(Last) (First) (Middle)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	4. Statement for (Month/Day/Year)	_ Other (specify below)
7075 Flying Cloud Drive	Best Buy Co., Inc. BBY		
(Street)		01/16/2003	-
Eden Prairie MN 55344 (City) (State) (Zip)	3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)	5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)	 Senior Vice President Sales Development 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X 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	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/ Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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		Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock							18,000	D	
Common Stock							575	I	401(k)

 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Derivative Security		Transaction Date (Month/Day/	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/ Year)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Following Reported Transaction(s)	Direct (D) or Indirect I (I)	11. N of In Bene Own (Inst
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$11.46								04/23/08	Common Stock	11,250		11,250	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$34.79								04/15/09 (1)	Common Stock	8,437		8,437	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$46.75								04/13/10 (1)	Common Stock	11,250		11,250	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$37.06								04/26/11 (1)	Common Stock	11,250		11,250	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$51.27								04/10/12 (1)	Common Stock	32,625		32,625	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$28.67	01/16/03		A		15,000		01/16/03 (1)	01/15/13	Common Stock	15,000		15,000	D	
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Explanation of Responses:

(1) Options vest in four equal annual installments beginning one year after the original date of grant.

/s/ Nancy J. Wigchers	01/17/03
** Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Nancy J. Wigchers Attorney in fact for: Robert E. McGrath	

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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that I, Robert E. McGrath, hereby constitute and appoint Joseph M. Joyce, Nancy J. Wigchers, Mark Geldernick, and Joseph W. Wirth and each of them, my true and lawful attorneys-in-fact and agents, each acting alone, with full powers of substitution and resubstitution for me and in my name, place and stead, to sign any reports on Form 4 (Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership) relating to transactions by me in Common Stock or other securities of Best Buy Co., Inc., and all amendments thereto, and to file the same, with the Securities and Exchange Commission and the New York Stock Exchange, Inc., granting unto said attorneys-in-fact and agents, and each of them, or their substitutes, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite or necessary to be done, as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents, and each of them, or their substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof. This Power of Attorney shall be effective until such time as I deliver a written revocation thereof to my above-named attorneys-in-fact and agents.

Dated: August 26, 2002

/s/ Robert E. McGrath

Robert E. McGrath