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>Batista Joesley Mendonca</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PILGRIMS PRIDE CORP [PPC]								Check al	l appl Direct	tor	ng Pers	10% C	wner		
	AV. BRIGADEIRO FERIA LIMA, 2391					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/16/2012										oelow	er (give title v)		below)	(specify
(Street)	SAO PAULO D5 04152-000			4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								ne) X I	ual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable 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. Transac Date (Month/Da				Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)					l and Securit Benefic Owned		es ially Following	Form:	nership : Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		Price	Tra	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111501.4)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share 11/16/2					/2012	2012		P		455,269		A	\$6	\$6 1		195,445,936		$\mathbf{I}^{(1)}$	By JBS USA Holdings, Inc. ⁽²⁾	
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
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Explanation of Responses:

1. As more particularly described in the Schedule 13D filed by JBS USA Holdings, Inc. ("JBS USA") and the other reporting persons identified therein (including the Reporting Owner listed above) (the "13D Reporting Persons") with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission on March 14, 2012 (the "Schedule 13D"), the Reporting Owner listed above, together with the other 13D Reporting Persons, share beneficial ownership of the 195,445,936 shares of common stock of Pilgrim's Pride Corporation directly owned by JBS USA. The ownership of the Reporting Owner listed above is indirect.

2. As more particularly described in the Schedule 13D, Joesley Mendonca Batista, together with the other members of the Batista Family, indirectly control JBS USA.

/s/ Christopher Gaddis, by power of attorney

11/20/2012

** 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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