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The Board of Directors of
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The Owners of
Bottling Group, LLC:

With respect to the registration statements listed below, we acknowledge our awareness of the use therein of our report dated September 30, 2003, except as to Note 10, which is as of October 7, 2003 related to our review of interim financial information of Bottling Group, LLC, which report is incorporated by reference in the Form 8-K filed by PepsiCo, Inc. on October 20, 2003.

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Pursuant to Rule 436 under the Securities Act of 1933 (the Act), such report is not considered part of a registration statement prepared or certified by an accountant, or report prepared or certified by an accountant within the meaning of Sections 7 and 11 of the Act.

/s/ KPMG LLP

New York, New York
October 20, 2003