FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Schwartz Jeffery D                |   |                                    |                 |                         | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol MCCORMICK & CO INC [ MKC ] |   |                   |  |   |                    |  |  | eck all applio<br>Directo  | cable)                          | g Person(s) to Is<br>10% O<br>Other (   |  | wner   |  |
|---|---|------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|---|---|-------------------|--|---|--------------------|--|--|--|---------------------------------|---|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) MCCORMICK & COMPANY, INCORPORATED 18 LOVETON CIRCLE |   |                                    |                 |                         |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/29/2017 |                   |  |   |                    |  |  |  | .0                              | nt, Gen   | below) n Counsel   | Jecny  |  |
| (Street) SPARKS MD 21152  |   |                                    |                 | 4                       | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                      |   |                   |  |   |                    |  |  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |                                 |   |  |  |  |
| (City)  | (S  | tate)                              | (Zip)           |                         |   |   |                   |  |   |                    |  |  |  |                                 |   |  |  |  |
|   |   | Tab                                | le I - Non      | -Derivati               | ve Se   | ecurities   | s Acc             | quired, I  | Disp  | osed o             | f, or Be   | neficial                                       | y Owned  |                                 |   |  |  |  |
| Date  |   | 2. Transacti<br>Date<br>(Month/Day | Execution Date, |                         | xecution Date,<br>any   |   | Transaction Dispo |  | rities Acquired (A)<br>ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, |                    | Securitie<br>Benefici<br>Owned F   | eneficially<br>wned Following                  |  | : Direct<br>Indirect<br>str. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership   |  |  |  |
|   |   |                                    |                 |                         |   | Code  | v                 | Amount   | (A) o                                       | Price              | Transact   | Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  |                                 | (Instr. 4)  |  |  |  |
| Common Stock - Voting   |   |                                    |                 |                         |   |   |                   |  |   |                    | 2  | ,281   |  | D                               |   |  |  |  |
| Common Stock - Non Voting   |   |                                    |                 |                         |   |   |                   |  |   |                    |  | 203  |  |                                 | D   |  |  |  |
|   |   | -                                  | Table II - I    | Derivativ<br>(e.g., put |   |   |                   |  |   |                    |  |  | Owned  |                                 | ,   |  |  |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                         | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security |                                    | Execution Date  | Code (Instr.            |   |   |                   | 6. Date Exercisable a<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |   |                    | 7. Title and Amo<br>of Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Secu<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5)  |                                 | e Constant of the constant of | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|   |   |                                    |                 | Code                    | e V   | (A)   |                   | Date<br>Exercisabl   |   | expiration<br>pate | Title  | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares         |  |                                 |   |  |  |  |
| Options -<br>Right to   | \$98.05   | 03/29/2017                         |                 | А                       |   | 19,876  |                   | (1)  | 0   | 3/28/2027          | Common<br>Stock -  | 19,876   | \$0  | 19,87                           | 6   | D  |  |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

 $1. \ The \ option \ grant \ becomes \ exercisable \ in \ thirds \ at \ each \ of \ the \ first \ three \ (3) \ grant \ anniversaries.$ 

## Remarks:

Jason E. Wynn, Attorney-in-

<u>Fact</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

03/31/2017

Date

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

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