FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>HRABOWSKI FREEMAN A III</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MCCORMICK & CO INC [MKC]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
		OMPANY, INC	Middle	,		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/28/2004								Offic below	er (give w)	e title			specify
18 LOVETON CIRCLE (Street) SPARKS MD 21152 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tabl	eI-	Non-Deriv	ative	e Seci	uritie	s Ac	cquii	red, C	Disposed (of, or	Benefic	ially Own	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. To Date			2. Transactio Date (Month/Day/\)		2A. Deemed Execution Dat		e, -	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		Ownership (Instr.		
								[Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			4)		
Common	on Stock - Voting 3,752.814 D																		
Common Stock - Voting 09/28				09/28/20	04	4			A		8.834	A	\$33.96	3,331.81		I		Deferred Compensation Plan	
Common	Common Stock - Non-Voting													2,419.6	557	D			
		Та	ble	II - Derivat (e.g., p							posed of, , converti						,		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Y			ution Date, /	Code 8)	Transaction of Code (Instr. Derivative			Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. : and 4) Amount or Number of Title Shares		Derivative Security (Instr. 5) Secur Owne Follon Repor Trans (Instr.		rities Form Direct or In (I) (Ir or In (Ir or		ship (D) rect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

W. Geoffrey Carpenter, Attorney-in-fact

09/29/2004

** 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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