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* PRESTON MARGARET M V					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MCCORMICK & CO INC [MKC]								(Check all ap X Dire	ector		1	10% Owner	
l .		OMPANY, INC	Middle) ORPORATED		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/02/2005								Officer (give title below)		Other (specify below)			
18 LOVETON CIRCLE (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 More than One Reporting					
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		Tabl	le I - Non-Der	ivativ	e Sec	urities	Acq	quired	, D	isposed (of, or	Benefic	ially Own	ed				
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							Co	ode V		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				4)	
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Common Stock - Voting 09/02/2			005	5		A	A	35.789 A		\$33.53	1,516.403		I		Deferred Compensation Plan			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		saction e (Instr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expiration e (Month/Das			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	deriva Secur Benef Owne Follow Repor	ities icially d ving rted action(s)	10. Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Ins	ership n: ct (D) direct	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Sonia Galindo, Attorney-in-

fact

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

09/06/2005

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