FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHI | ΙP |
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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* BILBREY JOHN P | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MCCORMICK & CO INC [MKC] | | | | | | | | | | S. 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) 09/23/2008 | | | | | | | | Offic belo | e title | Other (specify below) | | | | | |
| (Street) | | | | | 4. 1 | 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) | (St | | Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Tabl | le I - | Non-Deriv | ative | e Sec | urities | Ac | qui | red, [| Disp | osed c | of, or I | Benefic | ially Own | ed | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea | | | ear) | Execution Date, | | 7 | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | | Beneficially Owned Following | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. | | | | |
| | | | | | | | ď | Code | v | Amo | ount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | 4) | | | |
| Common Stock - Voting | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2,825 | 5 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock - Voting 09/23. | | | | 09/23/20 | 08 | 8 | | | A | | 3 | 8.7 | A | \$38.76 | 4,452. | 22 | I | | Defe Com Plan | pensation | |
| Common Stock - Non Voting | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 750 | D | D | | | | |
| | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Security or Exercise Price of Derivative Security (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) 2 8 | | Code 8) | action (Instr. | 5. Num of Deriva Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D) (Instr. and 5) | tive ties ed sed 3, 4 | Exp (Mo | piration onth/Da | Date Am Sei Un De Sei and | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) Amount or Number of Title | | Derivative Security (Instr. 5) Secur Enené Owne Follov Repor Trans (Instr. | | rities Form ficially Direct od or Inc wing (I) (In rted action(s) | | (D) irect | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

W. Geoffrey Carpenter, 09/25/2008 Attorney-in-Fact

** 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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