FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* WILSON ALAN D | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MCCORMICK & CO INC [MKC] | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | | | |
|--|---|--|---------------|---|-----|--|----|--|---|---------------|---|--|---|----------|---|--|---|---|---|--|--|
| WILSON ALAN D | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | X Dire | ctor | | 10% Owner | | wner | |
| (Last) | (Fii | rst) (| Middl | e) | 3. | Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | X Office below | er (give title w) | | | Other (pelow) | specify | |
| MCCOR | 10 | 10/17/2008 | | | | | | | | | President & CEO | | | | | | | | | | |
| 18 LOVETON CIRCLE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| (Street) | | | | | 7 | 4. If Americanent, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | Line) | | | | | | |
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| (City) | (St | ate) (| Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | Per | SUII | | | | | |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea | | | | | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | T C | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. | | |
| | | | | | С | ode | v | Am | | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and | n(s) i 4) | s) 4) | | 4) | | | | | |
| Common | Stock - Vot | ing | | 10/17/200 |)8 | | | J ⁽¹⁾ V 461.597 A \$34.41 72,665.88 D | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Common Stock - Voting 10/17/20 | | | | | 08 | 3 | | | J ⁽²⁾ | v | 5 | 5.5479 | A | \$34.46 | 918.07 | | I | | Deferred Compensation Plan | | |
| Common Stock - Non Voting 10/17/2008 | | | | |)8 | 3 | | | J ⁽¹⁾ | V | 1 | 31.578 | A | \$34.41 | 20,713.31 | | D | D | | | |
| | | Та | ble | II - Derivat (e.g., p | | | | | | | | osed of, onvertib | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | Exed if an | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | sansaction of Derivating Securiting Acquires (A) or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3, and 5) | | itive ities red sed 3, 4 | Expiration (Month/Dates d | | | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4 | (D) irect | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | Code | | (A) | (D) | Da | ite ercisah | | Expiration | Title | Amount or Number of | | | | | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares acquired pursuant to the McCormick Dividend Reinvestment Plan.
- $2. \ Shares\ acquired\ pursuant\ to\ the\ McCormick\ Dividend\ Reinvestment\ in\ the\ McCormick\ Deferred\ Compensation\ Plan.$

Remarks:

W. Geoffrey Carpenter, 12/01/2008 Attorney-in-fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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