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# FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	dress of Reporting		2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>MCCORMICK &amp; CO INC</u> [ MKC ]		tionship of Reporting Pe all applicable) Director	erson(s) to Issuer		
					Director	10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) MCCORMICK & COMPANY, INCORPORATED		· · · · ·	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/22/2004	1	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		
MCCORMIC	K & COMPAN	Y, INCORPORATED						
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18 LOVETON CIRCLE			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	adment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Che Line)				
(Street)				X	Form filed by One Re	porting Person		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)						

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code ( 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		4)
Common Stock - Voting								1,495	D	
Common Stock - Voting	10/22/2004		J <sup>(1)</sup>	v	18.417	A	\$35.01	4,624.02	I	Deferred Compensation Plan
Common Stock - Voting	10/26/2004		A		14.492	A	\$34.5	4,638.512	I	Deferred Compensation Plan

## Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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)	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares acquired pursuant to Dividend Reinvestment in the McCormick Deferred Compensation Plan.

**Remarks:** 

## W. Geoffrey Carpenter, Attorney-in-fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

10/27/2004

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).

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