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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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		Person [*]	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>MCCORMICK & CO INC</u> [MKC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner
		· · · ·	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/21/2004	Officer (give title X Other (specify below) President - U.S. CPD
(Street) SPARKS (City)	MD (State)	21152 (Zip)	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

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)	Code (Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3 Code (Instr. 5)		Securities Acquired (A) or posed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		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	01/21/2004		J ⁽¹⁾	v	42.069	A	\$29.62	8,942.805	D	
Common Stock - Voting	01/21/2004		J ⁽²⁾	v	8.209	A	\$29.55	1,740.829	I	Deferred Compensation Plan
Common Stock - Non-Voting	01/21/2004		J ⁽¹⁾	v	13.757	A	\$29.62	2,910.634	D	

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		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)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	4			
Option - Right to Buy	\$30.6	01/27/2004		A		65,565		01/27/2005	01/26/2014	Common Stock - Voting	65,565	(3)	65,565	D	
Option - Right to Buy	\$30.6	01/27/2004		A		21,855		01/27/2005	01/26/2014	Common Stock - Non- Voting	21,855	(3)	21,855	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares acquired pursuant to the McCormick Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

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

3. Option granted.

Remarks:

W. Geoffrey Carpenter,

01/29/2004

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).

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