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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	dress of Reporting		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) X Director 10% Owner
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle)		- 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)
. ,		Y, INCORPORATED	01/27/2004	Senior Vice President -
18 LOVETO	N CIRCLE			
(Street)			- 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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			-	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	1	

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)	Transaction Code (Instr.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock - Voting								24,784	D	
Common Stock - Voting								19,265.407(1)	I	Profit Sharing Plan
Common Stock - Non- Voting								8,310.865	D	

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

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		27,900		01/27/2005	01/26/2014	Common Stock - Voting	27,900	(2)	27,900	D	
Option - Right to Buy	\$30.6	01/27/2004		A		9,300		01/27/2005	01/26/2014	Common Stock - Non- Voting	9,300	(2)	9,300	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares held in the McCormick Profit Sharing Plan as of 11/30/03. The reporting person owns units in the McCormick Stock Fund in the Profit Sharing Plan and the number of shares reported as beneficially owned is based on the reporting person's pro rata interest in the net asset value of the McCormick Stock Fund on the date indicated.

2. Option granted.

Remarks:

W. Geoffrey Carpenter, Attorney-in-fact

01/29/2004

Date

** 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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