FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

<b>STATEMENT</b>	<b>OF CHANGE</b>	ES IN BENEF	FICIAL OV	WNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>HRABOWSKI FREEMAN A III</u>					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol MCCORMICK & CO INC [ MKC ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner						
	st) (First) (Middle) CCORMICK & COMPANY, INCORPORATED LOVETON CIRCLE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/16/2009									Officer (give title below)			Other (specify below)		
(Street) SPARKS MD 21152 (City) (State) (Zip)			2	4. 1	If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)     Solution											on .				
		Tabl	e I -	Non-Deriv	ative	e Sec	uritie	s Ad	qui	ired,	Dis	posed c	of, or I	Benefic	ially Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y	ear)	Execution Date,		•,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)						Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.		
								[	Code	v	Am	nount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and	(s)   4)		4	.)	
Common Stock - Voting 01/16/20				01/16/200	09	9			J <sup>(1)</sup>	v	3	35.522	A	\$30.87	9,380.71		D			
Common Stock - Voting				01/16/200	09				<b>J</b> <sup>(2)</sup>	V	3	39.42	A	\$31.09	5,473.02		I		Deferred Compensation Plan	
Common Stock - Non-Voting 01/16/200				09	9			J <sup>(1)</sup>	v	1	7.857	A	\$30.87	5,233.77		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	se (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code 8)	ansaction of ode (Instr. Derivativ		ative rities ired sed 3, 4	Expiration (Month/Da		expiration		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Number of Title Shares		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	deriva Secur Benef Owner Follov Repor	ities icially d ving ted action(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Shares acquires 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, 02/13/2009 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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