



**McCormick Declares \$0.16 Quarterly Dividend**

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SPRING, Md., March 23 (PRNewswire-FirstCall) - The Board of Directors of McCormick & Company, Incorporated (NYSE:MKC) today declared a quarterly dividend of \$0.16 per share on its common stock payable April 15, 2005, to shareholders of record on April 6.

This is the 61st year of consecutive dividend payments by the Company.

McCormick is the international producer of spices, seasonings, flavorings, and specialty foods.

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