FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FITZPATRICK J MICHAEL						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MCCORMICK & CO INC [MKC]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) MCCOR	(Fi		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/25/2005								X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (spe								
18 LOVETON CIRCLE							4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street)					_									X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(Si	tate)	(Zip)																
		Tab	le I - I	Non-Deriv	vative	Sec	uritie	s A	cquire	ed, D	isposed o	of, or B	enefici	ally Owned	ł				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye						Execution Date,		·	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Follow Reported	/ing	6. Ownersl Form: Dire (D) or Indir (I) (Instr. 4)	ect Indire rect Benef Owner	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														5,025.903		I		Deferred Compensation Plan	
		Т	able								sposed of , converti			lly Owned)			,		
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)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	deriv Secu Ben Own Follo Repo	D. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Dwned Following Reported Fransaction(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 Exerci	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er					
Option - Right to Buy	\$38.35	01/25/2005			A		2,500		01/25	/2006	01/24/2015	Common Stock - Voting	2,500	(1)		2,500	D		
Option - Right to Buy	\$38.35	01/25/2005			A		2,500		01/25	/2006	01/24/2015	Common Stock - Non	2,500) (1)		2,500	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Options granted

Remarks:

W. Geoffrey Carpenter, Attorney-in-fact

01/27/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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