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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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1. Name and Address of Reporting Ferson			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)					
<u>CONTINO FRANCIS A</u>		<u>1</u>		X	Director	10% Owner			
				v	Officer (give title	Other (specify			
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)		below)	below)			
MCCORMIC	K & COMPAN	Y, INCORPORATED	01/25/2005		Executive Vice I	President -			
18 LOVETO	N CIRCLE								
p			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv	idual or Joint/Group Filir	ng (Check Applicable			
(Street)				Line)					
SPARKS	MD	21152		X	Form filed by One Rep	porting Person			
			-		Form filed by More that Person	an One Reporting			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

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)	3.4. Securities Acquired (A) orTransaction Code (Instr.Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar8)5)			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								14,476	D			
Common Stock - Voting								27,137	I	Trust		
Common Stock - Voting								24 , 334.343 ⁽¹⁾	I	Profit Sharing Plan		
Common Stock - Non Voting								7,338.92	D			

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

			(e.y.,	puts,	Calls	s, wan	ame	s, options,	converti	Die Secu	nuesj				
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 Derivati Securiti Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (I	erivative curities cquired) or		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		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				
Option - Right to Buy	\$38.35	01/25/2005		A		54,450		01/25/2006	01/24/2015	Common Stock- Voting	54,450	(2)	54,450	D	
Option - Right to Buy	\$38.35	01/25/2005		A		18,150		01/25/2006	01/24/2015	Common Stock - Non Voting	18,150	(2)	18,150	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares held in the McCormick Profit Sharing Plan as of 11/30/04. 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

01/27/2005

** 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).

** 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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