

BEARD PAUL C  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
BEARD PAUL C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

MCCORMICK & COMPANY,  
INCORPORATED, 18 LOVETON  
CIRCLE

(Street)

SPARKS, MD 21152

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
MCCORMICK & CO INC [MKC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
10/27/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Vice President - Finance &

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Common Stock - Voting           |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  |   |  |   |
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (D)  | Price   |
| Common Stock - Voting           |                                      |  |                                |   | 14,577  | D  |   |
| Common Stock - Voting           |                                      |  |                                |   | 31.062 <sup>(1)</sup>   | I  | Profit Sharing Plan                                   |
| Common Stock - Non Voting       | 10/27/2005                           |  | G                              | V 84  | D <sup>(2)</sup>  | 2,223  | D   |
| Common Stock - Non Voting       | 11/08/2005                           |  | G                              | V 17  | D <sup>(2)</sup>  | 2,206  | D   |

Stock -  
Non-Voting

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

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**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 6) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
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**Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships  |
|--|--|
| BEARD PAUL C<br>MCCORMICK & COMPANY, INCORPORATED<br>18 LOVETON CIRCLE<br>SPARKS, MD 21152 | Director 10% Owner<br>Officer<br><br>Other<br><br>Vice President - Finance & |

**Signatures**

Sonia Cudd,  
Attorney-in-Fact  
11/21/2005

**\*\*Signature of Reporting Person**                          **Date**

**Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (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) Shares being gifted, no purchase price required.

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