Carpenter William Geoffrey Form 4 April 01, 2010

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Voting Common

03/30/2010

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

Name and Address of Reporting Person * Carpenter William Geoffrey (Last) (First) (Middle)			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MCCORMICK & CO INC [MKC] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/30/2010					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
								Director 10% Owner Scheme Other (specify below) Other (specify below) V.P., General Counsel & Sec.			
					nendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SPARKS,	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acq	uired, Disposed	of, or Benefici	ally Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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	03/30/2010			M	8,250	A	\$ 21.38	42,036.12	D		
Common Stock - Voting	03/30/2010			F	5,886	D	\$ 37.8	36,150.12	D		
Common Stock -	03/30/2010			M	11,700	A	\$ 22.26	47,850.12	D		

F

8,528

D

\$ 37.8 39,322.12

D

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Stock - Voting								
Common Stock - Voting	03/30/2010	M	11,700	A	\$ 30.6	51,022.12	D	
Common Stock - Voting	03/30/2010	F	10,231	D	\$ 37.8	40,791.12	D	
Common Stock - Voting						2,119.98	I	401(k) Retirement Plan
Common Stock - Non Voting	03/30/2010	M	2,750	A	\$ 21.38	2,890.13	D	
Common Stock - Non Voting	03/30/2010	F	1,963	D	\$ 37.8	927.13	D	
Common Stock - Non Voting	03/30/2010	M	3,900	A	\$ 22.26	4,827.13	D	
Common Stock - Non Voting	03/30/2010	F	2,843	D	\$ 37.8	1,984.13	D	
Common Stock - Non Voting	03/30/2010	M	3,900	A	\$ 30.6	5,884.13	D	
Common Stock - Non Voting	03/30/2010	F	3,411	D	\$ 37.8	2,473.13	D	

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

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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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities Acquired (Instr. 8) (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 21.38	03/30/2010		M		8,250	01/22/2003	01/21/2012	Common Stock - Voting	8,2
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 22.26	03/30/2010		M		11,700	01/28/2004	01/27/2013	Common Stock - Non Voting	11,7
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 30.6	03/30/2010		M		11,700	01/27/2005	01/26/2014	Common Stock - Voting	11,7
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 21.38	03/30/2010		M		2,750	01/22/2003	01/21/2012	Common Stock - Non Voting	2,7
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 22.26	03/30/2010		M		3,900	01/28/2004	01/27/2013	Common Stock - Non Voting	3,9
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 30.6	03/30/2010		M		3,900	01/27/2005	01/26/2014	Common Stock - Non Voting	3,9
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 38.39	03/31/2010		A	17,552		(2)	03/30/2020	Common Stock - Voting	17,5
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 38.39	03/31/2010		A	5,848		(2)	03/30/2020	Common Stock - Non Voting	5,8

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Carpenter William Geoffrey MCCORMICK & COMPANY, INCORPORATED			V.P., General				

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18 LOVETON CIRCLE Counsel & SPARKS, MD 21152 Sec.

Signatures

W. Geoffrey
Carpenter 04/01/2010

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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- * 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) Option exercised.
- (2) The grant vests fully in 25% increments over a four year period beginning on the first anniversary date.

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