MCNERNEY W JAMES JR

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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

3M CENTER

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MCNERNEY W JAMES JR

(Middle)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

3M CO [MMM]

(First) (Last)

(Street)

(State)

05/10/2005

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

_X__ Director

X_ Officer (give title

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD & CEO

(A)

ST. PAUL, MN 55144-1000

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Code V Amount (D) Price

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Issuer

below)

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (T) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership

(Instr. 3 and 4)

(Instr. 4)

10% Owner

Other (specify

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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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Am Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code V	7 (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	A N S
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 76.8	05/10/2005		A	270,160		05/10/2006	05/10/2015	Common Stock	2

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
MCNERNEY W JAMES JR 3M CENTER ST. PAUL, MN 55144-1000	X		CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD & CEO		

Signatures

By: George Ann Biros For: W James
McNerney

05/10/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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