

MCCORMICK & CO INC  
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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 \*  
**DAVEY ROBERT G**  
  
 (Last) (First) (Middle)  
**MCCORMICK & COMPANY,**  
**INCORPORATED, 18 LOVETON**  
**CIRCLE**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 Executive Vice President

(Street)  
**SPARKS, MD 21152**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**04/04/2005**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  
 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock - Voting	04/04/2005		M		25,000	A	\$ 17.84
Common Stock - Voting	04/04/2005		S		25,000	D	\$ 34.3
Common Stock - Voting	04/05/2005		M		22,500	A	\$ 17.84
Common Stock - Voting	04/05/2005		S		22,500	D	\$ 34.37
Common Stock - Voting							12,012.426
							(1)
							Profit Sharing

Plan

Common Stock - Non Voting	04/05/2005	M	5,000	A	\$ 17.84	7,757	D
Common Stock - Non Voting	04/05/2005	S	5,000	D	\$ 34.37	2,757	D

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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 17.84	04/04/2005		M	25,000	01/23/2002 01/22/2011	Common Stock- Voting 25,000
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 17.84	04/05/2005		M	22,500	01/23/2002 01/22/2011	Common Stock - Voting 22,500
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 17.84	04/05/2005		M	5,000	01/23/2002 01/22/2011	Common Stock - Non Voting 5,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DAVEY ROBERT G MCCORMICK & COMPANY, INCORPORATED 18 LOVETON CIRCLE SPARKS, MD 21152	X		Executive Vice President	

## Signatures

W. Geoffrey Carpenter,  
Attorney-in-Fact

04/06/2005

\_\_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).

Shares held in the McCormick Profit Sharing Plan as of 11/30/2004. The reporting person owns units in the McCormick Stock Fund in

(1) 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 value of the McCormick Stock Fund on the date indicated.

- (2) Option exercised

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