### MCCORMICK & CO INC

Form 4 January 31, 2003

## FORM 4

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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address  Skelton Robert W.	2. Issuer Na McCormic			ed MKC Pe	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
(Last) (Fi McCormick & Com 18 Loveton Circle	of Reporting Person,					h/Day/Year ary 28, 2003	Director					
(Si						5. If A	C	ounsel & Sec	esident, General retary Joint/Group Filing			
Sparks, MD 21152						of Original (C th/Day/Year) X Pe	(Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (S	State) (Zip)		Tabl	e I	Non-Der	ivative	Secur	rities Acquired, Dispose	red, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/	2A. Deemo Execution Date, if any (Month/Day	n action Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acqui (A) or Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 & 5)  Amount (A)		of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Follow- ing Reported	6. Owner-ship Form: Indirect Direct (D) Beneficial Ownership (I) (Instr. 4)			
	Year)	Year)				or (D)		Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 & 4)	(Instr. 4)			
Comon Stock - Voting								64,169.017	7 D			
Common Stock - Voting								10,368.20	) I	Profit Sharing Plan		
Common Stock - Non- Voting								41,810.586	5 D			

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

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### FORM 4 (continued) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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þ	Derivative	sion or	action	Deemed	Trans-	of	and Expiration	of Underlying	Derivative	Derivative	Owner-	of Inc

<sup>\*</sup> If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		if any (Month/ Day/ Year)		Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 & 5)		Date (Month/Day/ Year)		Securities (Instr. 3 & 4)		Security (Instr. 5)	Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		Bene Own (Instr
				Code V		` /	Date Exer-cisable	Expira- tion Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		` ′	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Option - Right to Buy	\$22.26	01/28/03		A	31,500		01/29/04	01/28/13	Common Stock - Voting	31,500		31,500		
Option - Right to Buy	\$22.26	01/28/03		A	10,500		01/29/04		Common Stock - Non-Voting	10,500		10,500		

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Shares held in the McCormick Profit Sharing Plan as of 11/30/02. 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.

By: /s/ Robert W. Skelton
W. Geoffrey Carpenter, Attorney-in-fact

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

January 30, 2003

Date

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