WILSON ALAN D Form 4

March 27, 2009

#### FORM 4

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

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1(b).

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**CIRCLE** 

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

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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

(First)

(State)

WILSON ALAN D

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

MCCORMICK & CO INC [MKC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/25/2009

MCCORMICK & COMPANY, INCORPORATED, 18 LOVETON

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

5. Amount of

Securities

Owned

Beneficially

Following Reported

\_X\_\_ Director

X\_ Officer (give title

Issuer

below)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Chairman, President & CEO

Ownership

Direct (D)

or Indirect

(Instr. 4)

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**SPARKS, MD 21152** 

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Voting Common

(City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

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

(A) or Price Code V Amount (D)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

61,692.65 D

924.77

Transaction(s)

Stock -Voting Common Stock -03/26/2009

9,095.44 A 9,095.44 (1)

> 22,738.34 D

#### **OMB APPROVAL**

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10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

Deferred

Plan

Compensation

**McCormick** 

401(k) Plan

(Instr. 4)

Indirect Beneficial

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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day)	ate	7. Title and 2. Underlying 5 (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 29.89	03/25/2009		A	225,825	<u>(2)</u>	03/24/2019	Common Stock - Voting	225,825
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 29.89	03/25/2009		A	75,275	(2)	03/24/2019	Common Stock - Non Voting	75,275

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
crepturing of the comment of the com	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WILSON ALAN D				
MCCORMICK & COMPANY, INCORPORATED 18 LOVETON CIRCLE	X		Chairman, President & CEO	

# **Signatures**

SPARKS, MD 21152

W. Geoffrey Carpenter, Attorney-in-fact	03/27/2009	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	

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### **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 acquired under McCormick's 401(k) plan.
- (2) The grant vests fully in 25% increments over a four year period beginning on the first anniversary of the grant.

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