

Carpenter William Geoffrey  
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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 \*  
 Carpenter William Geoffrey

(Last) (First) (Middle)

MCCORMICK & COMPANY,  
 INCORPORATED, 18 LOVETON  
 CIRCLE

(Street)

SPARKS, MD 21152

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 07/05/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 V.P., General Counsel & Sec.

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)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
				Code	V	Amount		
Common Stock - Voting	07/05/2012		M		6,825	A	\$ 38.35 53,116.64	D
Common Stock - Voting	07/05/2012		F		5,161	D	\$ 61.275 47,955.64	D
Common Stock - Voting							2,421.65	I
								401(k) Retirement Plan
Common Stock - Voting	07/05/2012		M		2,275	A	\$ 38.35 2,711.1	D

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Stock -  
Non  
Voting

Common

Stock - 07/05/2012 F 1,721 D \$ 61.275 1,007.1 <sup>(1)</sup> D  
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 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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 38.35	07/05/2012		M	6,825	01/25/2006 01/24/2015	Common Stock - Voting	6,825
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 38.35	07/05/2012		M	2,275	01/25/2006 01/24/2015	Common Stock - Non Voting	2,275

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Carpenter William Geoffrey MCCORMICK & COMPANY, INCORPORATED 18 LOVETON CIRCLE SPARKS, MD 21152			V.P., General Counsel & Sec.	

## Signatures

W. Geoffrey  
Carpenter

07/09/2012

\_\_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).
- (1) This amount reflects 17 shares acquired on 7/2/2012 at \$57.6175 per share pursuant to the 2011 Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
  - (2) Option exercised.

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