CONAGRA FOODS INC /DE/

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Stock

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(Time of Type Responses)												
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MESSEL SCOTT E			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CONAGRA FOODS INC /DE/ [CAG]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) ONE CON	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/23/2008					Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)					
				ndment, Da nth/Day/Year		l		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
OMAHA, I	OMAHA, NE 68102							Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq						quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	07/23/2008			A	12,737 (1)	A	\$0	32,271	D			
Common Stock	07/23/2008			F	4,006	D	\$ 21.64	28,265	D			
Common								2.850	T	By 401(k)		

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)

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MESSEL SCOTT E ONE CONAGRA DRIVE

SVP Treasurer & Asst Secretary

OMAHA, NE 68102

Signatures

Colleen Batcheler, Attorney-In-Fact 07/25/2008

**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) The shares acquired were earned under the ConAgra Foods 2007 to 2009 long-term incentive plan, and include dividend equivalents paid in additional shares of common stock on the earned amount.

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