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MCCORMICK & CO INC
Form 8-K
January 23, 2002

SECURITIES & EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported):
January 23, 2002

McCormick & Company, Incorporated
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland
(State of other
jurisdiction of
incorporation)

0-748
(Commission
File Number)

52-0408290
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

18 Loveton Circle
Sparks, Maryland
(Address of principal executive offices)

21152
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (410) 771-7301

Item 5. Other Events and Regulation FD Disclosure

The Registrant will reflect certain accounting changes in its financial reporting for fiscal year 2002. The Registrant desires to indicate the impact of these accounting changes for each quarter and the full year of fiscal year 2001 as if the changes had been in effect during fiscal year 2001. Attached to this Form 8-K, and filed as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference, is a document entitled "2001 Quarterly Data (Unaudited)."

Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits.

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99.1: 2001 Quarterly Data (Unaudited).

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

MCCORMICK & COMPANY, INCORPORATED

Date: January 23, 2002

By: /s/ KENNETH A. KELLY, JR.

Kenneth A. Kelly, Jr.
Vice President & Controller