

STEVENS WILLIAM E  
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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 \*  
STEVENS WILLIAM E

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/31/2010

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

MCCORMICK & COMPANY, INCORPORATED, 18 LOVETON CIRCLE

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

SPARKS, MD 21152

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Amount		
				Code	V	Amount	Price
Common Stock - Voting				(A)	25,352	D	
Common Stock - Non Voting				(A)	28,278	D	

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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 38.39	03/31/2010		A	3,750	<u>(1)</u>	03/30/2020	Common Stock - Voting	3,750
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 38.39	03/31/2010		A	1,250	<u>(1)</u>	03/30/2020	Common Stock - Non Voting	1,250
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	03/31/2010		A	1,467	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock - Voting	1,467
Rerstricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	03/31/2010		A	489	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock - Non Voting	489

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
STEVENS WILLIAM E MCCORMICK & COMPANY, INCORPORATED 18 LOVETON CIRCLE SPARKS, MD 21152		X		

## Signatures

W. Geoffrey Carpenter,  
Attorney-in-fact

04/01/2010

\_\_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 option vests in full on 3/15/2011.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Common Stock, or Common Stock - Non Voting, as applicable.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest in full on 3/15/2011, and are settled in an equal number of shares of Common Stock or Common Stock - Non Voting, as applicable.

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