### CONTINO FRANCIS A

Form 4

January 27, 2005

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

CONTINO FRANCIS A			Symbol				Issuer			
			MCCOF	MCCORMICK & CO INC [MKC]				(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)  MCCORMICK & COMPANY,			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/25/2005			_X_ Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify				
INCORPOR CIRCLE	RATED, 18 LO	OVETON					below) Execut	below) ive Vice Preside	ent -	
				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
SPARKS, MD 21152						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	ty) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Y	ear) Execution any	emed ion Date, if  //Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or d of (D) 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)	
Stock - Voting							14,476	D		
Common Stock - Voting							27,137	I	Trust	
Common Stock - Voting							24,334.343 (1)	I	Profit Sharing Plan	
Common							7,338.92	D		

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 or 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 38.35	01/25/2005		A	54,450	01/25/2006	01/24/2015	Common Stock-Voting	54,4
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 38.35	01/25/2005		A	18,150	01/25/2006	01/24/2015	Common Stock - Non Voting	18,1

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address				•	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer		Other

CONTINO FRANCIS A MCCORMICK & COMPANY, INCORPORATED 18 LOVETON CIRCLE SPARKS, MD 21152

X Executive Vice President -

Relationships

# **Signatures**

W. Geoffrey Carpenter, 01/27/2005 Attorney-in-Fact

> \*\*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).

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Shares held in the McCormick Profit Sharing Plan as of 11/30/04. The reporting person owns units in the McCormick Stock Fund in the (1) Profit Sharing Plan and the number of shares reported as beneficially owned is based on the reporting person's pro rata interest in the net asset value of the McCormick Stock Fund on the date indicated.

#### (2) Option granted

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