FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 3M CO [ MMM ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Per (Check all applicable)  X Director			(s) to Issue							
(Last)	tt) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/10/2005									Officer (g below)			Other below)	(specify		
(Street)	4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person										
OAKS	HOUSAND CA 91320 AKS																				
(City) (State) (Zip)																					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/Date)						Exe Day/Year) if ar		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		tion istr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Following R Transaction		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				(111301.4)						
Common Stock		5/2005				G	V	12		D	<b>\$</b> 0	0		D							
Common Stock 04/12/									G	v	12	A \$		\$0	878		I		Sharer Family Trust		
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 05/10/									A		1,269		A	\$85.69	7,234				by Corporation		
	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)	vative Conversion Date Execution Da			Date, Transaction Code (Instr.					6. Date Exerc Expiration Day/\(\) (Month/Day/\)		ate	7. Title and Am Securities Und Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)		nderlying ecurity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numb derivati Securiti Benefic Owned Followin Reporte Transac	ve es ially ng	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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## Explanation of Responses:

1. This nonemployee director has elected to defer all or a portion of compensation otherwise payable in cash to a common stock equivalents account under the terms of 3M's Director Compensation Plan and has no voting or investment powers with respect to such account. The indirectly-held common stock holding (by Corporation) reported in Table I includes deferred dividend reinvestment shares acquired pursuant to 3M's Director Compensation Plan

By: George Ann Biros For: Kevin W Sharer 05/10/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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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