FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

OMB Number: Estimated average burden hours per response:

OMB APPROVAL

3235-0287

0.5

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] IHLENFELD JAY V					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>3M CO</u> [MMM]								5. Relationship of Reporting (Check all applicable) Director			Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3M CENTER					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/10/2005							x	Officer (g below)	ive title	SIDEN	Other (s below)	
(Street) <u>ST. PAUL MN 55144-1000</u> (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Indiv X	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		T	able I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative S	ecurities Acq	uired, I	Disp	osed of	f, or l	Benefic	ially Ow	ned				
Date				2. Transa Date (Month/D		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Disposed				cquired (A)) (Instr. 3,		d 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Own Following Repor Transaction(s)				7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
					Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)		
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 Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	Cod	nsaction le (Instr.	Derivative	Expiration Date S (Month/Day/Year) D A) or 3 of 3			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

			Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)		
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$76.8	05/10/2005	A		35,593		05/10/2006	05/10/2015	Common Stock	35,593	\$0	35,593	D	

Explanation of Responses:

By: George Ann Biros For: Jay V 05/10/2005

Ihlenfeld

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

 * 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB Number.