

FORM 5

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Form 3 Holdings Reported.

Form 4 Transactions Reported.

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 * PALENSKY FRED J (Last) (First) (Middle) 3M CENTER (Street) ST. PAUL MN 55144-1000 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 3M CO [MMM]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) EXEC VP ENTERPRISE SVCS
	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2005	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	

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 at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	10/21/2005		G	70	D	\$0	32,184	D	
Common Stock							3,292	I	by 401k/PAESOP Trust

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 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) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$62.85	05/09/2005		J		4,186	10/26/2002	05/06/2005	Common Stock	4,186	\$0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. This transaction is an expiration of an employee stock option. No value was received by the reporting person for the expiration and it is being reported voluntarily for informational purposes. The expiration is exempt from the short-swing profits recovery provisions pursuant to Rule 16b-6(d) and is exempt from the reporting requirements pursuant to Rule 16a-4(d).

Remarks:

The indirectly-held common stock holding (401k/PAESOP) reported in Table I includes shares acquired during the fiscal year pursuant to the 3M Voluntary Investment Plan. The directly-held common stock holding reported in Table I includes shares acquired during the fiscal year pursuant to 3M's General Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

By: George Ann Biros For: Frederick Joseph Palensky

01/25/2006

** 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).

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