## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup><br><u>RIDGWAY ROZANNE L</u> |  |     |   |  | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>3M CO</u> [ MMM ] |                |                             |                         |  |  | elationship of Reportin<br>ck all applicable)<br>Oirector         | ,   | s) to Issuer<br>10% Owner |  |  |
|--|--|-----|---|--|---|----------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|---|---|---------------------------|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle)  |  |     |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>08/14/2006 |   |                |                             |                         |  | Officer (give title<br>below)  | Othe  | Other (specify below)                               |                           |  |  |
| 2695 MARCEY ROAD   |  |     |   | 4. If A  | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                |                |                             |                         |  |  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)       |   |                           |  |  |
| (Street)<br>ARLINGTON  | VA                                       | 22  | 2207                                      |  |   |                |                             |                         |  |  |   | ne Reporting Perso<br>ore than One Repo             |                           |  |  |
| (City)   | (State)                                  | (Zi | ip)                                       |  |   |                |                             |                         |  |  |   |   |                           |  |  |
|  |  | Та  | able I - No                               | n-Derivative   | e Securities Ac   | quired         | , Dis                       | posed of,               | or Bene                                | ficially O   | wned  |   |                           |  |  |
| Date   |  |     | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year | Execution Date,  |   | ction<br>nstr. | 4. Securities<br>Disposed O |                         |  | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially Owned<br>Following Reported | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |                           |  |  |
|  |  |     |   |  |   | Code           | v                           | Amount                  | (A) or<br>(D)                          | Price  | <ul> <li>Transaction(s)<br/>(Instr. 3 and 4)</li> </ul>           |   | (Instr. 4)                |  |  |
| Common Stock   | (1)                                      |     |   | 08/14/2006   |   | A              |                             | 279                     | A                                      | \$80.77  | 45,303  | I   | by<br>Corporatio          |  |  |
| Common Stock   |  |     |   |  |   |                |                             |                         |  |  | 2,576   | D   |                           |  |  |
|  |  |     |   |  | ecurities Acqu<br>calls, warrants,                                      |                |                             |                         |  |  | ned   |   |                           |  |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative  | I. Title of 2. 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed |     | i 4.                                      | 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amo          |   |                |                             | Amount of<br>Underlying | 8. Price of 9. Nu<br>Derivative deriva | nber of 10.<br>tive Owners   | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect   |   |                           |  |  |

|  | Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | <br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Transac<br>Code (Ir<br>8) |   |     |     | Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | Securities Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                                     | Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned | Direct (D) | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|--|---|---|---------------------------|---|-----|-----|-------------------------------------|--------------------|--|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------------|--|
|  |   |   | Code                      | v | (A) | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable                 | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares |                                      | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4)        |            |                                       |  |

## 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: | 08/16/2006 |
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| Rozanne L. Ridgway        | 08/10/2000 |

\*\* 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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