FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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

Name and Address of Reporting Person* Vale Michael G.				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 3M CO [MMM]							Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director					
(Last) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/09/2012							X	Officer (g		Other (specify below)	
3M CENTER	ENTER									Executive Vice President						
(Street) ST. PAUL MN 55144-1000				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Indiv	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Z	ip)													
		Ta	able I - Nor	-Deri	vative S	ecurities Acq	uired,	Disp	osed o	f, or	Benefic	ially Ow	ned			
Date			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Execution Date,	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
							Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 02/					9/2012		M		3,855 A S		\$88.02	4,194		D		
Common Stock 02/0				9/2012		F		1,27	15	D \$88.02		2,919		D		
Common Stock 02/0				9/2012		М		635	635 A \$		\$88.02	3,554		D		
Common Stock 02/0					9/2012		F		208	3	D	\$88.02	3,346 ⁽⁴⁾		D	
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	ີ c₀	ansaction ode (Instr.	Derivative	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Securities Undo Derivative Securities 3 and 4)		erlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)			

Date Exercisable

(2)

(3)

Expiration Date

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Title

Stock

Explanation of Responses:

Restricted Stock

Restricted Stock

Units

1. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of 3M common stock.

02/09/2012

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2. The restricted stock units will vest on 2/9/2012.

(1)

- 3. The restricted stock units will vest in equal installments on 2-9-2012 and 2-9-2013.
- 4. Includes shares acquired under 3M's General Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

/s/ George Ann Biros, attorney-infact for Michael G. Vale 02/13/2012

Amount

Number of Shares

3,855

635

\$<mark>0</mark>

\$<mark>0</mark>

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Transaction(s)

0

636

D

D

(Instr. 4)

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).

Code

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(A) (D)

3,855

635

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