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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Ludgate Kristen M			2. Date of Event R Statement (Month/ 01/01/2018		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 3M CO [MMM]						
(Last) 3M CENTER	(First)	(Middle)	_		Relationship of Reporting Person((Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title below)	10% Owner Other (specify below)		5. 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			
(Street) ST. PAUL	MN	55144	_		Sr Vice Presid	lent		Form filed by Person	y More than One Reporting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - No	n-Deriva	ative Securities Beneficially	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			1	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership		Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)				
Common Stock				721.5291	D						
					ve Securities Beneficially O ants, options, convertible s						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		2. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	3. Title and Amount of Securities Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	Underlying	4. Conversio or Exercis	rcise (D) or	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)				
Incentive Stoc	ck Option (Righ	nt to Buy)	02/04/2015	02/02/2024	4 Common Stock	2,921	126.72	D			
Incentive Stoc	ck Option (Righ	nt to Buy)	02/03/2016	02/03/2025	5 Common Stock	5,779	165.94	D			
Incentive Stoc	ck Option (Righ	nt to Buy)	02/02/2017	02/02/2026	6 Common Stock	4,646	147.87	D			
Incentive Stoc	ck Option (Righ	nt to Buy)	02/07/2018	02/06/2027	7 Common Stock	5,541	175.76	D			

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Sheila B. Claugherty, attorney-01/10/2018 in-fact for Ms. Ludgate

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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

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^{*} If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (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).

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Sheila B. Claugherty, David Calder, Michael M. Dai, Patricia L. Meagher, and Gregg M. Larson, each acting individually, as the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact, with full power and authority as hereinafter described on behalf of and in the name, place and stead of the undersigned to:

- (1) prepare, execute, acknowledge, deliver and file Forms 3, 4, and 5 (including any amendments thereto) with respect to the securities of 3M Company, a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission, any national securities exchanges and the Company, as considered necessary or advisable under Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended from time to time (the "Exchange Act");
- (2) seek or obtain, as the undersigned's representative and on the undersigned's behalf, information on transactions in the Company's securities from any third party, including brokers, employee benefit plan administrators and trustees, and the undersigned hereby authorizes any such person to release any such information to the above named attorneys-in-fact and approves and ratifies any such release of information; and
- (3) perform any and all other acts which in the discretion of such attorney-in-fact are necessary or desirable for and on behalf of the undersigned in connection with the foregoing.

The undersigned acknowledges that:

- (1) this Power of Attorney authorizes, but does not require, each such attorney-in-fact to act in their discretion on information provided to such attorney-in-fact without independent verification of such information;
- (2) any documents prepared and/or executed by either such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney will be in such form and will contain such information and disclosure as such attorney-in-fact, in his or her discretion, deems necessary or desirable;
- (3) neither the Company nor either of such attorneys-infact assumes (i) any liability for the undersigned's responsibility to comply with the requirement of the Exchange Act, (ii) any liability of the undersigned for any failure to comply with such requirements, or (iii) any obligation or liability of the undersigned for profit disgorgement under Section 16(b) of the Exchange Act; and
- (4) this Power of Attorney does not relieve the undersigned from responsibility for compliance with the undersigned's obligations under the Exchange Act, including without limitation the reporting requirements under Section 16 of the Exchange Act.

The undersigned hereby gives and grants each of the foregoing attorneys-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or appropriate to be done in and about the foregoing matters as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if present, hereby ratifying all that each such attorney-in-fact of, for and on behalf of the undersigned, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Limited Power of Attorney.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 5th day of January, 2018.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA )
ss.
COUNTY OF RAMSEY )
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On this 5th day of January, 2018, Kristen Ludgate personally appeared before me, and acknowledged that she executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set $\ensuremath{\mathsf{my}}$ hand and official seal.

/s/ Karen Stanoch-Sawczuk Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 1/31/2020