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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANCE COMMISSION							OMB APPROVAL		
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obligations may contin <i>See</i> Instruc 1(b).	Section 17(a)	uant to Section 10 ) of the Public Ut 30(h) of the In	ility Hold	ing Com	pany Act o	f 1935 or Sectio	n		
(Print or Type Re	esponses)								
1. Name and Ad BEARD PAU	Symbol	Name and RMICK &		-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last)	(First) (M		3. Date of Earliest Transaction			(Check all applicable)			
MCCORMIC INCORPORA CIRCLE	(Month/D 4, 03/31/20	ay/Year)	insaction		Director 10% Owner X_Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Senior VP- Finance & Treasurer				
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
SPARKS, MI	D 21152					Form filed by M Person			
(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurities Ac	quired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 Amount	(A) or of (D)	Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock - Voting						18,397	D		
Common Stock - Non Voting						2,999	D		

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

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# 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 I S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	5
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 38.39	03/31/2010		А	17,552	<u>(1)</u>	03/30/2020	Common Stock - Voting	17,552	
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 38.39	03/31/2010		А	5,848	<u>(1)</u>	03/30/2020	Common Stock - Non Voting	5,848	

# **Reporting Owners**

<b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>		Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BEARD PAUL C MCCORMICK & COMPANY, INCORPOR 18 LOVETON CIRCLE SPARKS, MD 21152	ATED		Senior VP- Finance & Treasurer				
Signatures							
W. Geoffrey Carpenter, Attorney-in-Fact	04/01/2010						
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date						
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

\* 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).

(1) The grants vest fully in 25% increments over a four year period beginning on the first anniversary date.

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