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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION								PROVAL		
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(Print or Type F	Responses)									
LITTLE PATRICIA A Symbol			1	r Name and Ticker or Trading RMICK & CO INC [MKC]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (M	(iddle) 3. Date	of Earliest T	ransaction			(Chec.	к ан аррисавие)	
	CK & COMPAN RATED, 18 LOVI	Y, 05/25	/Day/Year) /2010				X Director Officer (give below)		Owner r (specify	
			nendment, Da	endment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Ionth/Day/Yea	r)			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
SFAKKS, IV	1D 21132						Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code r) (Instr. 8)	4. Securi or(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock - Voting	05/25/2010		Code V A	Amount	(D) A	Price \$ 37.75	287 <u>(1)</u>	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)	e 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number onof 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 37.9	05/25/2010		А	3,750	03/15/2011	03/30/2020	Common Stock - Voting	3,750
Option - Right to Buy	\$ 37.9	05/25/2010		А	1,250	03/15/2011	03/20/2020	Common Stock - Non Voting	1,250
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	05/25/2010		А	1,484	(3)	(3)	Common Stock - Voting	1,484
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	05/25/2010		А	495	(3)	(3)	Common Stock - Non Voting	495

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Reporting Owners

Reporting	Relationships					
		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
LITTLE PATRICIA MCCORMICK & C 18 LOVETON CIRC SPARKS, MD 2115	OMPANY, INCORPORATED	Х				
Signatures						
W. Geoffrey Carpenter	05/26/2010					
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date					

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Shares were awarded to Reporting Person on May 25, 2010 and will be delivered on June 15, 2010.

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- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Common Stock, or Common Stock Non Voting, as applicable.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest in full on 3/15/2011, and are settled in an equal number of shares of Common Stock or Common Stock Non Voting, as applicable.

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