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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**PALENSKY FRED J**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**3M CENTER**

(Street)

**ST. PAUL, MN 55144-1000**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**3M CO [MMM]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**05/14/2007**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)

**VICE PRESIDENT R&D**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	05/14/2007		M		6,958 A \$ 63.525	44,211	D
Common Stock	05/14/2007		F		5,210 D \$ 84.83	39,001	D
Common Stock	05/14/2007		F		663 D \$ 84.83	38,338	D
Common Stock	05/14/2007		M		26,517 A \$ 64.5	64,855	D
Common Stock	05/14/2007		F		20,162 D \$ 84.83	44,693	D

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Common Stock	05/14/2007	F	2,713	D	\$ 84.83	41,980	D	
Common Stock	05/14/2007	M	822	A	\$ 63.525	42,802	D	
Common Stock	05/14/2007	F	615	D	\$ 84.83	42,187	D	
Common Stock	05/14/2007	F	88	D	\$ 84.83	42,099	D	
Common Stock	05/14/2007	M	6,540	A	\$ 63.525	48,639	D	
Common Stock	05/14/2007	F	4,897	D	\$ 84.83	43,742	D	
Common Stock	05/14/2007	F	701	D	\$ 84.83	43,041	D	
Common Stock	05/14/2007	M	8,225	A	\$ 61.85	51,266	D	
Common Stock	05/14/2007	F	5,996	D	\$ 84.83	45,270	D	
Common Stock	05/14/2007	F	951	D	\$ 84.83	44,319	D	
Common Stock						3,574	I	by 401k/PAESOP Trust

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 Underlying (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 61.85	05/14/2007		M		05/14/2004	05/12/2013	Common Stock

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Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 63.525	05/14/2007	M	6,958	07/07/2003	05/12/2008	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 63.525	05/14/2007	M	822	07/07/2003	05/11/2009	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 63.525	05/14/2007	M	6,540	07/07/2003	05/07/2010	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 64.5	05/14/2007	M	26,517	05/15/2003	05/14/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 84.83	05/14/2007	A	5,873	11/14/2007	05/12/2008	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 84.83	05/14/2007	A	703	11/14/2007	05/11/2009	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 84.83	05/14/2007	A	5,598	11/14/2007	05/07/2010	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 84.83	05/14/2007	A	22,875	11/14/2007	05/14/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 84.83	05/14/2007	A	6,947	11/14/2007	05/13/2013	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PALENSKY FRED J 3M CENTER ST. PAUL, MN 55144-1000			VICE PRESIDENT R&D	

## Signatures

By: GeorgeAnn Biros For: Frederick Joseph Palensky 05/16/2007

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## 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).

**Remarks:**

The indirectly-held common stock holding (401k/PAESOP) reported in Table I includes shares acquired during the fiscal year

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