McDonough Mark E Form 4

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November 02, 2007 **OMB APPROVAL** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading McDonough Mark E Issuer Symbol MERCK & CO INC [(MRK)] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify ONE MERCK DRIVE, P.O. BOX 11/01/2007 below) 100 Vice President and Treasurer (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting WHITEHOUSE

(City)	(State) (Zip	Table I	Non-Deri	vative Sec	curitie	s Acquire	ed, Disposed of, o	or Beneficially	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(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)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock - Dividend Reinvestment	11/01/2007		Code V M	Amount 2,500	(D)	Price	2,841.5309	D	
Common Stock - Dividend Reinvestment	11/01/2007		F	909	D	\$ 58.26	1,932.5309 (1)	D	
Common Stock - 401(k) Plan							1,828.7977 (2)	I	By 401(k)

Person

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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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	Secu Acq (A) (Disp (D)	posed of tr. 3, 4,	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
RSU - Leader Shares 2004/11/01	(3)	11/01/2007		M		2,500	11/01/2007	11/01/2007	Common Stock	2,500

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

McDonough Mark E ONE MERCK DRIVE P.O. BOX 100 WHITEHOUSE STATION, NJ 08889-0100

Vice President and Treasurer

Signatures

Debra A. Bollwage as Attorney-in-Fact for Mark E. McDonough

11/02/2007

**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).
- (1) Holdings include shares acquired in dividend reinvestment transactions.
- Includes shares acquired and dividends earned through October 1, 2007 in the Merck & Co., Inc. Employee Savings and Security Plan, a (2)401(k) plan.

(3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Merck & Co., Inc. common stock.

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