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1(b). (Print or Type Responses)								
1. Name and Address of Reporting Per MAHAN JAMES T	Symbol Issuer 3M CO [MMM]	hip of Reporting Person(s) to (Check all applicable)						
(Last) (First) (Mide 3M CENTER	lle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)Directr 07/25/2005Doffice below)							
(Street) ST. PAUL, MN 55144-1000	Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Li _X_ Form file	or Joint/Group Filing(Check e) I by One Reporting Person by More than One Reporting						
(City) (State) (Zi		sed of, or Beneficially Owned						
(Instr. 3) any	cution Date, if Transactionor Disposed of (D) Securities Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficiall onth/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (A) Reported Transaction	Ownership Indirect Beneficial y Form: Ownership Direct (D) (Instr. 4) or Indirect (I) n(s) (Instr. 4)						
Common Stock 07/25/2005	Code V Amount (D) Price (Instr. 3 an M 1,000 A $\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ \text{Price} \end{array}$ (Instr. 3 an M 1,000 A $\begin{array}{c} 19,830 \\ 31.5175 \end{array}$	d 4) D						
Common Stock 07/25/2005	F 422 D \$74.6 19,408	D						
Common Stock	3,591	by I 401k/PAESOP Trust						

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

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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. Transactiv Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.5175	07/25/2005		М	1,000	05/14/1997	05/14/2006	Common Stock	1,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
MAHAN JAMES T 3M CENTER ST. PAUL, MN 55144-1000			VICE PRESIDENT ENGRG MFG & LOG		
Signatures					
By: George Ann Biros For: Jar Mahan	nes T	07/	/25/2005		
**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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