

SMUCKER J M CO
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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 *
SMUCKER RICHARD K

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE STRAWBERRY LANE

(Street)

ORRVILLE, OH 44667-0280

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SMUCKER J M CO [SJM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/17/2006

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)
President

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	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Shares	03/17/2006		M		4,725	A	\$ 17.194	455,137	D	
Common Shares	03/17/2006		M		14,176	A	\$ 18.252	469,313	D	
Common Shares	03/17/2006		F		3,251	D	\$ 39.845	466,062	D	
Common Shares	03/17/2006		F		9,965	D	\$ 39.845	456,097	D	
Common Shares								32,586	I	by Daughter

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Common Shares	8,437,9054	I	by ESOP
Common Shares	477,796	I	by Trust FBO Daughter
Common Shares	57,831	I	by Wife
Common Shares	477,798	I	Co-Trustee FBO Brother
Common Shares	477,798	I	Co-Trustee FBO Sister

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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Option Common Shares	\$ 17.194	03/17/2006		M	4,725	<u>(1)</u> 10/17/2006	Common Shares	4,725
Option Common Shares	\$ 18.252	03/17/2006		M	14,176	<u>(1)</u> 10/17/2006	Common Shares	14,176

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SMUCKER RICHARD K ONE STRAWBERRY LANE	X		President	

ORRVILLE, OH 44667-0280

Signatures

M. Ann Harlan,
POA

03/21/2006

__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) Employee stock option (right to buy) which becomes exercisable at the rate of 1/3 of shares per year beginning one year after grant date.

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