

PALENSKY FRED J  
Form 4  
February 20, 2013

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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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)  
**02/19/2013**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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Person

**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 Stock	02/19/2013		S		4,644	D	\$ 104.03
							37,986
Common Stock	02/19/2013		S		1,030	D	\$ 104.04
							36,956
Common Stock	02/19/2013		S		2,384	D	\$ 104.05
							34,572
Common Stock	02/19/2013		S		500	D	\$ 104.06
							34,072
Common Stock	02/19/2013		M		13,433	A	\$ 80.5
							47,505

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Common Stock	02/19/2013	S	3,833	D	\$ 104	43,672	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	S	600	D	\$ 104.01	43,072	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	S	200	D	\$ 104.015	42,872	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	S	3,100	D	\$ 104.02	39,772	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	S	5,700	D	\$ 104.03	34,072	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	M	53,448	A	\$ 54.11	87,520	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	S	17,706	D	\$ 104	69,814	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	S	5,935	D	\$ 104.01	63,879	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	S	2,133	D	\$ 104.02	61,746	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	S	2,074	D	\$ 104.03	59,672	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	S	2,900	D	\$ 104.035	56,772	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	S	5,191	D	\$ 104.04	51,581	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	S	2,409	D	\$ 104.05	49,172	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	S	500	D	\$ 104.06	48,672	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	S	2,600	D	\$ 104.07	46,072	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	S	1,500	D	\$ 104.0702	44,572	D
Common Stock	02/19/2013	S	10,500	D	\$ 104.075	34,072	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)

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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. 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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares of S
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 80.5	02/19/2013		M	13,433	08/13/2008 05/12/2013	Common Stock	13,
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 54.11	02/19/2013		M	53,448	02/09/2010 02/08/2019	Common Stock	53,

## Reporting Owners

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

## Signatures

George Ann Biros, attorney-in-fact for Fred J. Palensky

02/20/2013

\_\_\_\_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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