FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WETMORE DOUGLAS J						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INTERNATIONAL FLAVORS & FRAGRANCES INC [IFF]										c all applica Director	able)	g Person(s) to Issu 10% Ow Other (s		ner
(Last)	(F	irst)	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2003										below)	SVP and CFO		респу	
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)					4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned														9					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date			ate, Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)			Disposed	es Acquired Of (D) (Insti	d (A) or r. 3, 4 and	and Securities Beneficia Owned Fo		s lly	Form:	Direct Indirect I	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 a	on(s)			(Instr. 4)	
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day/	ate, T	ransa ode (I		of		Exp	i. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Seci (Instr. 3 and 4)			3. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securitie: Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s ally	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	ode	v	(A) (D)	Date Exe	e rcisable	Ex Da	piration te	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares							
Stock Equivalent	0(1)	05/15/2003	05/16/200	03	A		41		08/0	8/1988 ⁽²⁾	08/	/08/1988 ⁽²⁾	Common	41	T	\$32.85	2.542	,	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The Stock units ("Units") convert to Common Stock on a one-for-one basis.
- 2. Units under the Company's deferred compensation plan resulting from (a) deferral of compensation and Company match (in shares), (b) premium (in shares) to participants deferring compensation into Units and (c) dividends (in shares) on Units. 8 of the acquired Units are subject to vesting based on employment through December 31, 2004.

DENNIS M. MEANY, 05/19/2003 Attorney-in-fact

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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).

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