FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BLOCK STEPHEN A						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol INTERNATIONAL FLAVORS &										Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner					
					FRAGRANCES INC [ IFF ]												er (give title		Other (s	·	
(Last) (First) (Middle) INTERNATIONAL FLAVORS & FRAGRANCES INC.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2003											Senior Vice President				
521 WEST 57TH ST						If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10019																X Form	n filed by One n filed by Mor on		•		
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																		
		Tab	le I - Non-	Derivat	tive	Sec	uriti	es A	cqui	ired, D	isp	osed	of, or	Ben	eficia	lly Own	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		e,   1	Transaction Dis			ecurities Acquired (A) posed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			d Secur Benef Owner	ies For cially (D) Following (I) (		m: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
										Code	/ Amount			(A) or (D)	Price	Transa	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
		Т	able II - De (e	erivativ e.g., put												/ Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/	ate, Tra	ansaction de (Instr.		of		Expi	6. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Co	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	e rcisable	Ex Da	piration te	Title	OI N Of	umber						
Stock Equivalent Unit	(1)	12/15/2003	12/16/200	03	A		85			(2)		(2)	Comm		85	\$33.55	1,178		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. 17 of the acquired Units are subject to vesting based on employment through December 31, 2004.

Jodie Simon, Attorney-in-fact 12/16/2003

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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