FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | | | | |
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| WETMORE DOUGLAS J | | | | | INTERNATIONAL FLAVORS & FRAGRANCES INC [IFF] | | | | | | | | | | | applica rector | • | 100 | 6 Ow | ner | | |
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| (Last) (First) (Middle) INTERNATIONAL FLAVORS & FRAGRANCES INC. | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/15/2004 | | | | | | | | | | SVP and CFO | | | | | | |
| 521 WEST 57TH ST | | | | 4. If | If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable | | | | | | | |
| (Street) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Lin | Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | | | | |
| NEW YORK NY 10019 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | | | |
| (City) | (S | tate) | (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Tab | le I - Non | -Deriv | ative | Se | curitie | es Ac | qui | red, C | Disp | osed | of, or | Ben | eficia | lly Ow | ned | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D | | | | | | ar) i | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Yea | | e, T | Transaction Dispo | | Dispose | urities Acquired (A) sed Of (D) (Instr. 3, | | | 4 and Securiti Benefic Owned | | illy (| 6. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indire (I) (Instr. 4) | t o | . Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | |
| | | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amoun | | A) or D) | Price | Tra | orted isactio tr. 3 an | | | " | Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 13,957(1) | | D | | | | |
| | 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 I if any (Month/Day | Date, | 4. Transa Code (I B) | | | | 6. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | | | d 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | 8. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. 5 | ive d y S) B O F R | D. Number of lerivative Securities Seneficially Dwned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | hip D) ect | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exerc | cisable | Ex Da | piration te | Title | O N O | umber | | | | | | | |
| Stock Equivalent Unit | (2) | 01/15/2004 | 01/16/20 | 004 | A | | 39 | | | (3) | | (3) | Comm | | 39 | \$34.5 | 9 | 3,509 | D | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Includes 736 shares arising from purchases of shares and dividends (in shares) under the IFF Global Employee Stock Purchase plan during 2003.
- 2. The Stock units ("Units") convert to Common Stock on a one-for-one basis.
- 3. 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, 2005.

Dennis M. Meany, Attorney-infact

** 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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