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# 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*      AMEN ROBERT M     (Last)   (First)     521 WEST 57TH STREET  |       |  |            |          |                 | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>INTERNATIONAL FLAVORS &amp; FRAGRANCES INC</u> [ IFF ] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/30/2009 |       |  |       |         |  |               |                            |  | licable)<br>tor<br>er (give title<br>/)        | 10%<br>Oth | Person(s) to Issuer<br>10% Owner<br>Other (specify<br>below)<br>a & CEO |  |
|--|-------|--|------------|----------|-----------------|---|-------|--|-------|---------|--|---------------|----------------------------|--|--|------------|---|--|
| (Street)<br>NEW Y(<br>(City)   | DRK N | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) |            |          |                 |   |       |  |       | Line    | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable<br>ne)<br>X Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>Form filed by More than One Reporting<br>Person |               |                            |  |  |            |   |  |
|  |       | Tab  | le I - Nor | n-Deriva | ative Se        | ecurities Ac  | cqui  | ired,  | Disp  | osed    | of, o  | or Bene       | eficiall                   | y Owne   | d  |            |   |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)<br>Date<br>(Month/D  |       |  |            |          | Execution Date, |   |       | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.4. Securities Acquired<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr.8) |       |         |  |               | ies<br>cially<br>Following | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirec<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | Ownership                                      |            |   |  |
|  |       |  |            |          |                 |   |       | Code   | v     | Amount  | :  | (A) or<br>(D) | Price                      | Transa   | Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |            | (Instr. 4)  |  |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned     (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |       |  |            |          |                 |   |       |  |       |         |  |               |                            |  |  |            |   |  |
|  |       |  | (          | e.g., pu | its, call       | s, warrants   | s, op | ption  | s, co | Jiveiti | ble  | secun         | ties)                      |  |  |            |   |  |

| (Instr. 3)                  | Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | ative      |            | 8)   |   | Secu<br>Acqu<br>(A) of<br>Dispo<br>of (D)<br>(Instr<br>and 5 | r<br>osed<br>)<br>7. 3, 4 |                     |                    | Underlyin<br>Derivative<br>(Instr. 3 ar | Security                               | (Instr. 5) | Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) |   | Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|------------|------------|------|---|--|---------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---|--|------------|--|---|-------------------------|--|
|                             |                                    |            |            | Code | v | (A)  | (D)                       | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title                                   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |            |  |   |                         |  |
| Stock<br>Equivalent<br>Unit | \$0 <sup>(1)</sup>                 | 04/30/2009 | 05/01/2009 | A    |   | 317  |                           | (2)                 | (2)                | Common<br>Stock                         | 317                                    | \$31.2     | 29,605   | 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. 63 of the acquired Units are subject to vesting based on employment through December 31, 2010.

#### Remarks:

#### By: Dennis Meany, attorney in 05/01/2009

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

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