

MERCK & CO INC
Form 4
March 07, 2006

FORM 4

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

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
COLBERT CELIA A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE MERCK DRIVE

(Street)

WHITEHOUSE
STATION, NJ 08889-0100

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
MERCK & CO INC [(MRK)]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/03/2006

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)

V-P, Sec. & Asst. Gen. Counsel

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)
Common Stock				(A) or (D)	1,915	D	
Common Stock				Code V Amount (D) Price	180 ⁽¹⁾	I	By Spouse
Common Stock - 401(k) Plan					3,606.2023 ⁽²⁾	I	By 401(k)
Common Stock - Dividend					277.924 ⁽³⁾	D	

Reinvestment

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)

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)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option 2006/03/03 (right to buy)	\$ 35.09	03/03/2006		A		9,600		03/03/2007 ⁽⁴⁾	03/02/2016	Common Stock	9,600
Restricted Stock Units 2006/03/03	⁽⁵⁾	03/03/2006		A		1,800		03/03/2009	03/03/2009	Common Stock	1,800

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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ONE MERCK DRIVE
WHITEHOUSE STATION, NJ 08889-0100

V-P, Sec. & Asst. Gen. Counsel

Signatures

Debra A. Bollwage as Attorney-in-Fact for Celia A.
Colbert

03/07/2006

 **Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* 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).

- (1) Beneficial ownership as to these shares is disclaimed.
- (2) Includes shares acquired and dividends earned through January 3, 2006 in the Merck & Co., Inc. Employee Savings and Security Plan, a 401(k) plan.
- (3) Includes shares held and dividends earned through January 3, 2006 in the Merck Stock Investment Plan.
- (4) The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning March 3, 2007.
- (5) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Merck & Co., Inc. common stock.

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