#### ARCHER DANIELS MIDLAND CO

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## FORM 4

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

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**SECURITIES** 

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** CAMP WILLIAM H			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			ARCHER DANIELS MIDLAND CO [ADM]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify		
4666 FARIES PARKWAY (Street)			07/29/2005	below) below) Executive Vice President		
			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
DECATUR,	IL 62526		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
		(7:n)		Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I Non Derivative Securities Ac	quired Disposed of or Ranaficially Owner		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) our Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or Amount (D) Price		5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	07/29/2005		M	5,916	A	\$ 13.5246	238,954	D		
Common Stock	07/29/2005		M	5,927	A	\$ 13.65	244,881	D		
Common Stock	07/29/2005		S	5,916	D	\$ 23.15	238,965	D		
Common Stock	07/29/2005		S	5,927	D	\$ 23.5	233,038	D		
Common Stock							22,431.7215 (1)	I	By Employee Benefit	

Plan

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed or (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	e Expiration (Month/Da	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Common Stock	\$ 13.5246	07/29/2005		M	5,91	6 (2)	05/03/2009	Common Stock	5,916	
Common Stock	\$ 13.65	07/29/2005		M	5,92	7 (3)	10/14/2013	Common Stock	5,927	

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CAMP WILLIAM H 4666 FARIES PARKWAY DECATUR, IL 62526

**Executive Vice President** 

### **Signatures**

Stuart E. Funderburg, Attorney-in-Fact for William H.
Camp

07/29/2005

\*\*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) Between June 17, 2005 and July 29, 2005, the reporting person acquired 0.1512 shares of ADM common stock pursuant to an employee benefit plan. The information in this report is based on a plan statement dated July 29, 2005.

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- (2) The option becomes exercisable in approximately 11.1% increments annually commencing on May 3, 2000.
- (3) The option becomes exercisable in approximately 11.1% increments annually commencing on October 14, 2004.

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