

MCDONALD NANCY P  
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**FORM 4**

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
MCDONALD NANCY P

(Last) (First) (Middle)

SUITE 2300, 222 S. 9TH ST.

(Street)

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402-4099

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
BEMIS CO INC [BMS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
09/09/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | Code V  | Amount (A) or (D) Price   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 09/09/2005                           |  |                                | S   | 2,300 D \$ 26.01  | 417,143  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 09/09/2005                           |  |                                | S   | 1,200 D \$ 26.02  | 415,943  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 09/09/2005                           |  |                                | S   | 200 D \$ 26.05  | 415,743  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 09/09/2005                           |  |                                | S   | 1,300 D \$ 26.07  | 414,443  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 09/12/2005                           |  |                                | S   | 4,900 D \$ 26.01  | 409,543  | D                                 |
|                                 | 09/12/2005                           |  |                                | S   | 100 D   | 409,443  | D                                 |

|                 |             |   |  |                        |
|-----------------|-------------|---|--|------------------------|
| common<br>Stock | \$<br>26.03 |   |  |                        |
| Common<br>Stock | 1,252,928   | I |  | See<br>Footnote<br>(1) |
| Common<br>Stock | 216,384     | I |  | See<br>Footnote<br>(2) |

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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                         | Title   |                            |
| Common Stock                               | (3)  | 05/02/2003                           |  | A                              | 1,968   | 05/02/2006(4) 05/02/2006                                 | Common Stock  | 1,968                      |
| Common Stock                               | (3)  | 05/06/2004                           |  | A                              | 1,648   | 05/06/2007(5) 05/06/2007                                 | Common Stock  | 1,648                      |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| MCDONALD NANCY P<br>SUITE 2300<br>222 S. 9TH ST.<br>MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402-4099 |               | X         |         |       |

## Signatures

J J Seifert Power of  
Attorney

09/13/2005

\_\_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) Shares are owned by a limited liability company in which Reporting Person has an undivided 0.92696 of one percent interest. Reporting Person disclaims to beneficial ownership except to extent of her 0.92696 of one percent interest.
- (2) Reporting Person has a beneficial interest of 12-1/2 percent in a trust. Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of Common Stock held by the trust except to the extent of her 12-1/2 percent interest.
- (3) Security converts to Common Stock on a one-to-one basis on date of conversion.
- (4) Stock Award granted to Bemis Director pursuant to 2001 Stock Incentive Plan exempt under Rule 16b-3: Grant to Reporting Person of right to receive stock as of May 2, 2006.
- (5) Stock Award granted to Bemis Director pursuant to 2001 Stock Incentive Plan exempt under Rule 16b-3: Grant to Reporting Person of right to receive stock as of May 6, 2007.
- (6) Will know price on date of conversion.

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