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*  Howell Henry W Jr							2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol INTERNATIONAL FLAVORS & FRAGRANCES INC [ IFF ]									nip of Reporting oplicable) ector		10% O	wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 521 WEST 57TH STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/18/2005										Officer (give title below)		Other (s	sресіту
(Street) NEW YORK 10019 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
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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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	I. Fransaction Code (Instr. B)		ı of		6. Date Exe Expiration (Month/Day	Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		D   S   (I	. Price of Perivative Pecurity Postr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ow For Dire or I (I) (	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Stock Equivalent	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	10/18/2005	10/19/2	005	A		31		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	3	1	\$33.79	2,497		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 deferral of meeting fees. The Units are payable in Common Stock upon retirement or other termination of directorship.

## Remarks:

**Dennis Meany** 

10/19/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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