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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Vale Michael G.

(First)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

3M CO [MMM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/02/2016

Director 10% Owner _ Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

X_ Officer (give title below) **Executive Vice President**

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

ST. PAUL, MN 55144-1000

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative Secu	ırities	Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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 A poor Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and Amount	(D)	d (A)	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	02/02/2016		A	10,044.734 (1)	A	\$ 0	21,005	D	
Common Stock	02/02/2016		F	3,875 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$0	17,130 (2) (3)	D	

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 of or 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 Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Nun of S
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 147.87	02/02/2016		A	58,684	02/02/2017	02/02/2026	Common Stock	58,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	Director 10% Owner Officer		Other			
Vale Michael G.							
3M CENTER			Executive Vice President				
ST. PAUL, MN 55144-1000							

Signatures

/s/ Sheila B. Claugherty, attorney-in-fact for Michael G. Vale 02/04/2016

**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).
- Represents shares of 3M common stock that will be delivered imminently pursuant to the terms of a performance share award made to the reporting person on 3/1/2013. The performance-based vesting requirements applicable to such award were satisfied on the date reported in Column 2 above, which represents the date on which the level of performance attained was certified. The number of shares withheld for taxes are estimated and will be revised by amendment, if necessary.
- (2) Includes shares acquired under 3M's General Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (3) Includes shares acquired pursuant to 3M's Dividend Reinvestment Plan.
- (4) This option becomes exercisable in equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the grant date (2/2/2016).

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