

BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 MCGOLDRICK JOHN L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO
 [(BMY)]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 345 PARK AVENUE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 03/01/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 EVP & General Counsel

NEW YORK, NY 10154
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, \$0.10 par value	03/01/2005		M		126,198	A	\$ 14.74
Common Stock, \$0.10 par value	03/01/2005		F		73,085 (1)	D	\$ 0
Common Stock, \$0.10 par value	03/01/2005		F		18,634 (2)	D	\$ 0

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Common Stock, \$0.10 par value	03/01/2005	A	14,250 (3)	A	\$ 0	211,021	D	
Common Stock, \$0.10 par value						2,403.78 (4)	I	By BMY Savings & Investment Program

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
					V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	
Executive Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.45	03/01/2005		A		85,500		(5)	02/28/2015	Common Stock, \$0.10 par value
Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.74	03/01/2005		M		126,198	03/07/1999	03/06/2005		Common Stock, \$0.10 par value

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MCGOLDRICK JOHN L 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154			EVP & General Counsel	

Signatures

By: /s/ Sonia Vora,
Attorney-in-Fact

03/03/2005

**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 withheld for payment of exercise price.
- (2) Shares withheld for payment of taxes upon exercise of stock option.
- (3) Shares consist of restricted stock with one-third vesting on each of the third, fourth and fifth anniversaries of the grant date.
- (4) Based on a plan statement as of the end of the most recent fiscal quarter.

Option is not exercisable until the earlier of (i) the closing share price of common stock achieving a price of at least 15% above the option grant price and remaining at that price for seven consecutive trading days or (ii) the ninth anniversary of the grant date. Shares underlying option vest 25% a year, on a cumulative basis, commencing one year after the date of grant.

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