## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> POTTER ROBERT L					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>FMC TECHNOLOGIES INC</u> [FTI]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner						
(Last)	ast) (First) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/31/2006								х	X Officer (give title below)			Other (specify below)		
(Street)	(Street) HOUSTON TX 77067				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	le I - Non-Deri	vative	Sec	urities	s Ac	quired, C	Disp	osed o	of, or B	enefi	cially	v Owne	d				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) Date (Month/Day					Execution Dat			3. Transact Code (In 8)			rities Acquired ( ed Of (D) (Instr. :			Securi Benefi Owned	cially	Forn (D) o Indir	n: Direct or rect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	v	Amoun	nt (A) or (D)		rice	Report Transa	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		r. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
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)	Title of 2. 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed rivative Or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			4. Transac	4. 5. N Transaction of Code (Instr. Deri			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. of De Se (II	Price erivative ecurity 1str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactior (Instr. 4)	/ [] / [] (4	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		piration ite	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	ber						
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	07/31/2006 <sup>(2)</sup>	07/31/2006	A		158.28		(3)		(3)	Common Stock	0.00	(4)	88.45 <sup>(5)</sup>	23,422.76	5	D		
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	08/01/2006 <sup>(6)</sup>	08/01/2006	А		156.62		(3)		(3)	Common Stock	0.00	(4)	\$8.54 <sup>(5)</sup>	23,579.38	3	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

1. N/A

2. Acquisition of Phantom Stock Units (in an exempt transaction) by the reporting person under the FMC Technologies, Inc. Non-Qualified Savings and Investment Plan (NQ Plan). Phantom Stock Units are payable in cash following termination or retirement of the reporting person's employment with FMC Technologies, Inc., or death.

3. Phantom Stock Units are payable in cash following termination or retirement of the reporting person's employment with FMC Technologies, Inc., or death.

4. A participant's interest in the NQ Plan is represented in units (referred to as Phantom Stock Units) which consist of phantom shares of FMC Technologies, Inc. Common Stock and uninvested cash balances held by the NQ Plan for administrative convenience.

5. Denotes Unit Price

6. Acquisition of Phantom Stock Units (in an exempt transaction) under the FMC Technologies, Inc. Non-Qualified Savings and Investment Plan (NQ Plan) resulting from matching contribution by issuer. Phantom Stock Units are payable in cash following termination or retirement of the reporting person's employment with FMC Technologies, Inc., or death.

> By: By: James L. Marvin, attorney-in-fact for

08/02/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

\* 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).

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