

WELLS FARGO & CO/MN

Form 4

May 06, 2005

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
STROTHER JAMES M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**633 FOLSOM STREET, 7TH
FLOOR**

(Street)

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

WELLS FARGO & CO/MN [WFC]

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

05/04/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Executive Vice President

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

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)
Common Stock, \$1 2/3 par value	05/04/2005		M	25,000	A \$ 30.875	41,218	D
Common Stock, \$1 2/3 par value	05/04/2005		F	17,527	D \$ 60.29	23,691	D
Common Stock, \$1 2/3 par value						10,532.3473 (1)	I Through 401(k) Plan

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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)	8. Amount or Value of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Value of Underlying Security
Employee Stock Purchase Option	\$ 30.875	05/04/2005		M			1,666	07/23/1998	07/22/2007	Common Stock, \$1 2/3 par value	1,666
Employee Stock Purchase Option	\$ 30.875	05/04/2005		M			11,667	07/23/1999	07/22/2007	Common Stock, \$1 2/3 par value	11,667
Employee Stock Purchase Option	\$ 30.875	05/04/2005		M			11,667	07/23/2000	07/22/2007	Common Stock, \$1 2/3 par value	11,667
Employee Stock Purchase Option	\$ 60.29	05/04/2005		A			17,071	05/04/2005	07/22/2007	Common Stock, \$1 2/3 par value	17,071

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
STROTHER JAMES M 633 FOLSOM STREET 7TH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107			Executive Vice President	

Signatures

James M. Strother, by Robert S. Singley,
Attorney-in-Fact

05/06/2005

__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) Reflects share equivalent of units in Wells Fargo Stock Fund and ESOP Fund of 401(k) Plan as of April 30, 2005, as if investable cash equivalents held by Plan were fully invested in Wells Fargo & Company Common Stock.

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