MONSANTO CO /NEW/
Form 4
August 13, 2007

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BEGEMANN BRETT D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

800 N. LINDBERGH BLVD.

(Street)

ST. LOUIS, MO 63167

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
MONSANTO CO /NEW/ [MON]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/09/2007

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)
EVP-International Commercial

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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	04/17/2007		G	V	450	D	$ 0	70,392	D	
Common Stock	08/09/2007		M (1)		24,925	A	$ 16.1925	95,317	D	
Common Stock	08/09/2007		S (1)		500	D	$ 69.04	94,817	D	
Common Stock	08/09/2007		S (1)		425	D	$ 69.01	94,392	D	
Common Stock	08/09/2007		S (1)		600	D	$ 68.9	93,792	D	

Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	200	D	$ 68.87	93,592	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	200	D	$ 68.84	93,392	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	800	D	$ 68.78	92,592	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	1,200	D	$ 68.75	91,392	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	300	D	$ 68.74	91,092	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	300	D	$ 68.68	90,792	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	300	D	$ 68.62	90,492	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	300	D	$ 68.6	90,192	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	300	D	$ 68.59	89,892	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	400	D	$ 68.57	89,492	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	600	D	$ 68.54	88,892	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	800	D	$ 68.52	88,092	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	68	D	$ 68.51	88,024	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	1,000	D	$ 68.5	87,024	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	132	D	$ 68.49	86,892	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	500	D	$ 68.48	86,392	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	600	D	$ 68.47	85,792	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	500	D	$ 68.46	85,292	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	200	D	$ 68.45	85,092	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S(1)	100	D	$ 68.44	84,992	D
	08/09/2007	S(1)	800	D	$ 68.42	84,192	D

Common Stock								
Common Stock	08/09/2007		S(1)	1,200	D	$ 68.41	82,992	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007		S(1)	700	D	$ 68.39	82,292	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007		S(1)	1,000	D	$ 68.38	81,292	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007		S(1)	900	D	$ 68.37	80,392	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. 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 o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shar
Option (Right to Buy)	$ 16.1925	08/09/2007		M(1)			24,925	03/15/2005(2)	02/26/2014	Common Stock	24,92

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BEGEMANN BRETT D 800 N. LINDBERGH BLVD. ST. LOUIS, MO 63167			EVP-International Commercial	

Signatures

Christopher A. Martin, Attorney-in-Fact	08/13/2007
**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)	The sales and stock option exercise reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on July 9, 2007.
(2)	One-third of the options became exercisable on March 15, 2005, one-third of the options became exercisable on March 15, 2006 and one-third of the options become exercisable on March 15, 2007, subject to the terms and conditions of the Monsanto Company Long Term Incentive Plan.

Remarks:

The Reporting Person had multiple transactions on August 9, 2007 Due to a limitation on the number of transactions that can

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