Madere Consuelo E. Form 4 October 27, 2010

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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obligations may continue. See Instruction

**SECURITIES** Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

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(Instr. 3)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Madere Consuelo E.

(First)

800 N. LINDBERGH BLVD.

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

MONSANTO CO /NEW/ [MON]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 10/25/2010

Director

Issuer

below)

10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title

> below) VP, Vegetable Business

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

ST. LOUIS, MO 63167

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

(Month/Day/Year)

(State)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security

(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A)

or Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

Code V (A)

(D) Date Exercisable Expiration Date

Title

Amount or Number of Share

Option

Buy)

(Right to \$58.71 10/25/2010

A 17,570

11/15/2011(1) 10/25/2020

Common Stock

17,570

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner

Officer

Other

Madere Consuelo E.

 $800~\mathrm{N.}$  LINDBERGH BLVD.

VP, Vegetable Business

ST. LOUIS, MO 63167

# **Signatures**

Jennifer L. Woods, Attorney-in-Fact

10/27/2010

\*\*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).

One-third of the options become exercisable on November 15, 2011, one-third of the options become exercisable on November 15, 2012 and the remainder of the options become exercisable on November 15, 2013, subject to the terms and conditions of the Monsanto Company 2005 Long Term Incentive Plan.

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