ARCHER DANIELS MIDLAND CO

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ANDREAS G ALLEN			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ARCHER DANIELS MIDLAND CO [ADM]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 4666 FARII	(First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/09/2006	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person			

DECATUR, IL 62526

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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)	Code (Instr. 8)	onor Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	Securities Acquired (A) Disposed of (D) astr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		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	05/09/2006		Code V S	Amount 106,000	(D)	Price \$ 45.33	1,544,272	D			
Common Stock	05/09/2006		S	36,200	D	\$ 45.34	1,508,072	D			
Common Stock	05/09/2006		S	70,900	D	\$ 45.35	1,437,172	D			
Common Stock	05/09/2006		S	20,700	D	\$ 45.36	1,416,472	D			
Common Stock	05/09/2006		S	40,800	D	\$ 45.37	1,375,672	D			

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Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	21,600	D	\$ 45.38	1,354,072	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	2,900	D	\$ 45.39	1,351,172	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	7,900	D	\$ 45.4	1,343,272	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	3,400	D	\$ 45.41	1,339,872	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	500	D	\$ 45.42	1,339,372	D	
Common Stock						87,760.2813	I	Employee Benefit Plan
Common Stock						190,124	I	Partnership (1)
Common Stock						454,980	I	Partnership (2)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title and	1 8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	tionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amount of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underlying	g Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)) Derivative	e		Securities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities	3		(Instr. 3 an	d 4)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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ANDREAS G ALLEN
4666 FARIES PARKWAY X
DECATUR, IL 62526

Signatures

Stuart E. Funderburg, Attorney-in-Fact for Glen Allen Andreas, Jr.

05/10/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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 held by a partnership for a trust for my benefit.
- (2) Shares held by a partnership for trusts for the benefit of members of my immediate family including those which I am sole or co-trustee. I disclaim any beneficial interest in any of these shares.

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