MOODYS CORP /DE/

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MCKINNELL HENRY A

(Middle)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

MOODYS CORP /DE/ [MCO]

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

(Month/Day/Year) 09/11/2006

below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

NEW YORK, NY 10007

99 CHURCH STREET

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

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

(Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

(9-02)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

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)

Conversion or Exercise Price of

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

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

5. Number of 4 **TransactionDerivative** Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A)

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

7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 an

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	Derivative Security			or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Phantom Stock Units (Deferred Compensation)	\$ 0 (2)	09/11/2006	A		13.791		08/08/1988(3)	08/08/1988(3)	Common Stock	
Phantom Stock Units (Deferred Performance Shares) (4)	\$ 0 (2)	09/11/2006	A		1.7648		08/08/1988(5)	08/08/1988(5)	Common Stock	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MCKINNELL HENRY A 99 CHURCH STREET NEW YORK, NY 10007	X						

Signatures

John J. Goggins, by power of attorney for Henry A.

McKinnell

**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) Phantom stock units arising out of the Reporting Person's election to defer receipt of retainer fees.
- (2) The security converts to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (3) These units are to be settled in cash after the Reporting Person's retirement.
- (4) Phantom stock units arising out of the Reporting Person's election to defer receipt of earned performance shares.
- (5) These units are to be settled in stock after the Reporting Person's retirement.

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