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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

## FORM 4

#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

O Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.
Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue.
See Instruction 1(b)

1.	Name and Address of Reporting Person* (Last, First, Middle) Dering, Jeanne M.  99 Church Street			2.	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Moody's Corporation (MCO)		3.	I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (Voluntary)				
				4. Statement for (Month/Day/Year)  April 28, 2003			5.	If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)				
	(Street)		6.	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check All Applicable)			Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
	New York	New York, NY 10007		_	o	Director O 10% Owner		X	Form filed by One Reporting Person			
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)		x o	Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer		0	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* instruction 4(b)(v).

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)	Securities or Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (	D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions (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	4/28/03		M	3,367	A	\$16.76		I	Spouse
Common Stock	4/28/03		S	367	D	\$48.28		I	Spouse
Common Stock	4/28/03		S	3000	D	\$48.18	3,930	I	Spouse
							1,975 (1)	I	Spouse 401-K (1)
							8,887	D	
							1,348 (1)	D	401-K (1)
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Table II	Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
	(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

. 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 5. Code (Instr. 8)	S	Securities	(A) or Disposed	l of
								Code V		(A)	( <b>D</b> )	
Employee Stock Option (right-to-buy)		\$16.76		4/28/03				M			3,367	
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Table II Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned Continued (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)										
6.	Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			lying s	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	] ]	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11.	Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
	12/15/94 (2)	12/14/03	Common Stock	3,367	\$16.76	- 0 -	]	I		Spouse
Ex	planation of	Responses	:							
(1)	As of the las	st statement	dated March	31, 2003						
(2)	2) One fourth of the options vest each year beginning with the date indicated.									

4/30/03

John J. Goggins as

Attorney-in-Fact for

Jeanne M. Dering	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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<sup>\*\*</sup> Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).