### SMITHFIELD FOODS INC Form 3 September 21, 2006 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB approval

### INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF 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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> MANLY ROBERT W	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SMITHFIELD FOODS INC [SFD]				
(Last) (First) (Middle)	08/30/2006	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
200 COMMERCE STREET (Street)			all applicable)	<b></b>	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
SMITHFIELD, VA 23430			v) (specify belo	w)	_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - N	lon-Derivat	ive Securiti	es Bei	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	1	
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Table II - Derivative Secur	ities Beneficially Owned (e.	g., puts, calls,	warrants, opt	ions, co	onvertible securities)	

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exerc	cisable and	3. Title and	Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	4) Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Securities Underlying		Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
			Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)
					Price of	Derivative	
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### (Instr. 5)

# **Reporting Owners**

<b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MANLY ROBERT W 200 COMMERCE STREET SMITHFIELD, VA 23430	Â	Â	Executive Vice President	Â		
Signatures						
/s/Michael H. Cole, as Attorney-in-Fact		09/21/2	006			
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date				
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

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