

MURPHY OIL CORP /DE
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN 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 *
ECKART JOHN W

(Last) (First) (Middle)
200 PEACH STREET, P.O. BOX 7000
(Street)

EL DORADO, AR 71731-7000

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
MURPHY OIL CORP /DE [MUR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/05/2013

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Senior VP & Controller

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	02/05/2013		M		5,797 (1)	A	\$ 0 29,558 D
Common Stock	02/05/2013		F		1,991 (2)	D	\$ 60.015 27,567 D
Common Stock						I	8,300 I Trustee, Company Thrift Plan

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)	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 Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit <u>(3)</u>	\$ 0 <u>(4)</u>	02/05/2013		M		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	6,500
Stock Option <u>(5)</u>	\$ 60.015	02/05/2013		A	39,200	02/05/2015	02/05/2020	Common Stock	39,200
Restricted Stock Unit <u>(5)</u>	\$ 0 <u>(4)</u>	02/05/2013		A	10,700	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	10,700

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ECKART JOHN W 200 PEACH STREET P.O. BOX 7000 EL DORADO, AR 71731-7000			Senior VP & Controller	

Signatures

/s/ John A. Moore,
attorney-in-fact

02/07/2013

__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).

- Represents Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) that have vested and settled in shares of the Company's stock on a one-for-one basis. Pursuant to the terms of the performance-based grant awarded under the 2007 Long-Term Incentive Plan, the total includes 80.63% of the original award, plus shares equivalent in value to accumulated dividends.
- (1) Shares withheld for taxes on RSU vesting.
 - (2) Award granted under the 2007 Long-Term Incentive Plan.
 - (3) These Securities generally do not carry a Conversion Price, Exercisable Date, or Expiration Date

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(5) Award granted under the 2012 Long-Term Incentive Plan.

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