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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* DEMING CLAIBORNE P			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MURPHY OIL CORP /DE [MUR]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
DEMING C.	LAIBURN	<u>E P</u>		X Dire	Director	10% Owner				
(Last) 200 PEACH ST	00 PEACH STREET		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/03/2012		cer (give title w)	Other (specify below)				
P.O. BOX 7000			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	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. Transa Code (8)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/03/2012		М		2,614 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$ <mark>0</mark>	678,533	D	
Common Stock								1,529,538	Ι	Beneficiary Of Trusts
Common Stock								45,928	I	By Spouse
Common Stock								209,720	Ι	Self, Trustee For My Children

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. Transa Code (8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		e Amount of		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)		
Restricted Stock Unit ⁽²⁾	\$0 ⁽³⁾	02/03/2012		М		2,500 ⁽¹⁾		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	2,500	\$0	16,232	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. 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 time-based grant awarded under the 2008 Stock Plan for Non-Employee Directors, the total includes 100% of the original award, plus shares equivalent in value to accumulated dividends.

2. Restricted Stock Unit Award granted under the 2008 Stock Plan for Non-Employee Directors.

3. These Securities generally do not carry a Conversion Price, Exercisable Date, or Expiration Date

/s/ John A. Moore, attorney-in-	02/07
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** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).

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

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