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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MURPHY ROBERT MADISON				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MURPHY OIL CORP /DE [MUR]								5. Relationship of Report (Check all applicable) X Director			ting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 200 PEACH STREET P.O. BOX 7000			03/0	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2011									Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)						
(Street)	ADO A	R :	71731-7000			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	ate) ((Zip)																
		Tab	le I - N	on-Deriva	ative	Secu	ırities	s Ac	quired	l, Di	sposed o	f, or B	enefic	ciall	y Owne	ed			
		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a 5)		and Securitie Beneficia Owned F		s ally ollowing	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
						Code V		Amount	(A) or (D) Price			Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)			
Common	Stock			03/01/2	011				S		400	D	\$74	.25	668	,832		D	
Common	Stock														1,26	3,392		I	Beneficiary Of Trusts
Common	Stock														232	,844		I	By Spouse
Common	Stock														3,69	2,660		I	Co-trustee Of Family Trusts
Common	Stock														666	,640			Limited Partnership
Common	Stock														144	,000			Trustee For My Children
		Ta	able II -								osed of, convertib				Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			med on Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number		6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		isable and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price Derivati Security (Instr. 5		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	overshes Ownershes Form: Borect (Dor Indire (I) (Instr. (I		Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
Explanation of Responses:					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date		Amoun or Number of Shares						

/s/ Walter K. Compton, Attorney-in-Fact

03/02/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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