FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Whitley Kelly L (Last) (First) 9805 KATY FREEWAY G-200			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>MURPHY OIL CORP</u> [MUR] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/02/2021	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Vice President					
G-200 (Street) HOUSTON TX 77024 (City) (State) (Zip)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150. 4)
Common Stock	02/02/2021		М		11,296(1)	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	26,296	D	
Common Stock	02/02/2021		F		4,950 ⁽²⁾	D	\$12.3025	21,346	D	

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)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following	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		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Performance Stock Unit ⁽³⁾	(4)	02/02/2021		Α		19,700		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	19,700	\$ <u>0</u>	59,700	D	
Restricted Stock Unit ⁽⁵⁾	(4)	02/02/2021		Α		6,600		(4)(6)	(4)(6)	Common Stock	6,600	\$ <u>0</u>	20,100	D	
Performance Stock Unit ⁽⁷⁾	(4)	02/02/2021		М			11,000 ⁽¹⁾	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	11,000	\$ <mark>0</mark>	48,700	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 performance-based grant awarded under the 2012 Long-Term Incentive Plan, the total includes 91.025% of the original award, plus shares equivalent in value to accumulated dividends.

2. Shares withheld for taxes on RSU vesting.

3. Performance-based restricted stock unit award granted under the 2020 Long-Term Incentive Plan

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

5. Time-based Restricted Stock Unit award granted under the 2020 Long-Term Incentive Plan.

6. Vest date is February 2, 2024.

7. Performance-based restricted stock unit award granted under the 2012 Long-Term Incentive Plan

/s/ E. Ted Botner, attorney-in-	
fact	
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** Signature of Reporting Person Date

02/03/2021

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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