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* GARDNER JOHN B						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MURPHY OIL CORP [MUR]									k all applic Directo Officer	able) r (give title	g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specif		vner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 9805 KATY FREEWAY G-200					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/02/2021								Vice President & Treasurer								
(Street) HOUST	ON T	X	77024		4.1	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	tate)	(Zip)																		
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
Da		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, ar) if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			and 5) Securities Beneficially Owned Follow		s Illy ollowing	Form:	Direct Indirect I	7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership					
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			Instr. 4)						
Common Stock			06/02/2021		021		M		13,000	A	\$17	17.565 13,0		000 D		D					
Common Stock 06/				06/02	02/2021				F ⁽¹⁾		10,326	D	\$24	4.125 2,67		574		D			
Common Stock 06/			06/03	/2021				S		2,674	D	\$24	4.61 0		0		D				
Common Stock															39	1 ⁽²⁾		I	Trustee of Company Thrift Plan		
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. Deemo Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Fransa Code (3)		on of		6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		e l	7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		[B. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Owner Form Direct or Ind (I) (In	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er							
Stock Option ⁽³⁾	\$17.565	06/02/2021			M	13,000		(4)		02/02/2023	Common Stock	13,0	00	\$0 0		0 D					

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents a "net exercise" of outstanding stock options. These shares were withheld by the Company for payment of the exercise price and applicable taxes, using the average high and low price on June 2, 2021 of \$24,1250.
- 2. Includes 2 shares obtained through the Company Thrift Plan. The information in this report is based on a plan statement dated June 2, 2021.
- 3. Award granted under the 2012 Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- 4. The option vests in two equal installments, the first half two years after the original grant date and the final half three years after the original grant date

/s/ E. Ted Botner, attorney-in-

06/03/2021

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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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