FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>DEMING CLAIBORNE P</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MURPHY OIL CORP /DE [MUR]									ck all appli	,	g Pers	10% O	wner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 200 PEACH STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/05/2009									Officer below)	(give title		Other (below)	specify				
P.O. BOX 7000 (Street)				4. If	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								
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(City)	(S	(State) (Zip)																				
		Tab	le I - Non	-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	osed o	of, or Bo	enefi	ciall	y Owned	t						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						ar) l	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (I	Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				ies Fo ially (D) Following (I)		n: Direct r Indirect istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		rice	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)							
	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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		ı of		6. Date Exercisa 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 derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e s ully	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		xpiration ate	Title	Amo or Nun of Sha	nber								
Restricted Stock Unit ⁽¹⁾	\$0 ⁽²⁾	08/05/2009			A		2,500		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	2,5	000	\$0	102,500		D				

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Restricted Stock Unit Award granted under the 2008 Stock Plan for Non-Employee Directors.
- 2. These Securities generally do not carry a Conversion Price, Exercisable Date, or Expiration Date

Remarks:

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

11/25/2009

** 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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