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* DEMING CLAIBORNE P					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MURPHY OIL CORP /DE [MUR]							Relationship neck all appl X Direct	cable) or	g Pers	10% Ov	ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 200 PEACH STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2012							Office below	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify	
P.O. BOX 7000					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street) EL DORADO AR 71731-		71731-7000							Lin	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City)	(Si	ate)	(Zip)														
		Tab	le I - Non-De	erivativ	e Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired, D	isposed	of, or Be	eneficia	lly Owne	t				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D					Execution Date,		Code (Instr. 5)			Benefic	es For ially (D) Following (I) (I		Direct Indirect Istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
						Code V	Amoun	t (A) (C)	Price	Transac (Instr. 3	ction(s)			Instr. 4)			
		Т	able II - Der (e.g					uired, Dis s, options,				/ Owned					
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/Yea	ate, Transaction				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Restricted Stock Unit ⁽¹⁾	\$0 ⁽²⁾	02/01/2012		A		3,660		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	3,660	\$0	13,732		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

/s/ John A. Moore, attorney-infact 02/02/2012

** 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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