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* FITZGERALD KEVIN G						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MURPHY OIL CORP /DE [MUR]								(Chec	k all app Dired	licable)		o Issuer % Owner ner (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) 200 PEACH STREET P.O. BOX 7000					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/09/2011									X	belov	v)		ow) i
(Street) EL DORADO AR 71731-700			00	4. If An	nendm	ent, Date o	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				erson	
(City)	(Si		Zip)	- Deriva	tive S	ocur.	ities Acc	uired	Die	nosed o	of 0	r Bon	ofic	ially	Owne			
Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D				ction	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A			I (A) o	5. Amor Securit Benefic Owned		unt of ties cially Following	6. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)	Indirect t Beneficial Ownership	
							Code	v	Amount	Amount (A) or (D)		Pric	е	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock				03/09/	03/09/2011				v	21		A	\$0		1,976		I	Trustee Of Company Thrift Plan
Common Stock				03/09/2011				J ⁽²⁾	v	6	D		\$	\$0		,970	I	Trustee Of Company Thrift Plan
Common Stock													24,252		D			
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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	ed 4 Date, T	4. Transaction		5. Number 6			able and	7. T Am Sec Und Der Sec	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4)		8. P Der Sec	rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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- 1. Shares obtained through Company Thrift Plan.
- 2. Sale by trustee of Company thrift plan in order to refund sums to participant to comply with IRS nondiscrimination requirements for 2010 Plan Year.

/s/ Walter K. Compton, attorney-in-fact

03/10/2011

** 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).
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