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*  STOBAUGH BILLY H						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  MURPHY OIL CORP /DE [ MUR ]									(Check	all app Direc	hip of Reporting Pe pplicable) ector icer (give title		10% C	wner
(Last) 200 PEA	(Fi CH STREE K 7000	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/03/2007										X	belov							
(Street)  EL DORADO AR 71731-7000  (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tabl	e I - Noi	n-Deriva	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, o	r Ber	efic	ially	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da						r)   I	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr.					4 and Secur Benef Owne		cially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
				Code	v	Amount			(A) or (D)	Pric	e	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)				
Common Stock 02/03/2						2007			D <sup>(1)</sup>		4,000	) D		4	S <mark>O</mark>	31,023			D	
Common	Stock			02/01	/2008				D <sup>(2)</sup>		8,000		D	\$	6 <mark>0</mark>	23,023		D		
Common	ommon Stock														4,568			I	Trustee of Company Thrift Plan	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security				Transaction Code (Instr.		n of		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Date	е	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4)		nstr. 3	Deri Seci	Price of 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)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	of							

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Restricted Stock issued in 2004 which has been forfeited as a result of the vesting performance conditions not being satisfied.
- 2. Restricted Stock issued in 2005 which has been forfeited as a result of the vesting performance conditions not being satisfied.

## Remarks:

/s/ Walter K. Compton, Attorney-in-Fact 02/03/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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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