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* HAMMOCK KELLI M						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MURPHY OIL CORP /DE [MUR]								heck all appli Directo	cable) or	ng Perso	erson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 200 PEACH STREET P.O. BOX 7000					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/20/2012									X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President				
(Street)	troot					f Ame	ndmer	nt, Date o	f Origina	al File	d (Month/D		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
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(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)			Person												
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deriv	vative	Sec	curiti	ies Acc	quired	, Dis	sposed o	of, or Be	neficia	lly Owned	t			
Date				Date	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			5) Securitie Benefici Owned F	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		Direct II ndirect E tr. 4) C	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				Instr. 4)
Common Stock			12/20/2012					M		3,750	A	\$43.9	5 3,	750	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2012				M		7,500	A	\$52.8	45 11,	5 11,250		D			
Common Stock			12/20/2012					F ⁽¹⁾		9,891	D	\$60.9	35 1,	1,359		D		
Common Stock			12/20/2012					S		1,359	D	\$60.2	09	0		D		
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Common Stock													6	32	:	I (Trustee Of Company Thrift Plan	
		7	Γable II ∙								osed of converti			y Owned			,	
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deen Executio if any (Month/D	ned n Date,	4. Transa Code (8)	ction	5. Number 6			xercis	sable and e	7. Title an Amount o Securities Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 an	d f g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e C s F ally C	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option	\$43.95	12/20/2012			M			3,750	02/03/20)11	02/03/2016	Common Stock	3,750	\$0	0	T	D	
Stock Option	\$52.845	12/20/2012			M			7,500	02/02/20)12	02/02/2017	Common Stock	7,500	\$0	7,500	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 December 19, 2012 of \$60,935.

/s/ John A. Moore, attorney-infact

12/20/2012

** 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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