FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MURPHY ROBERT MADISON					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  MURPHY OIL CORP /DE [ MUR ]								5. Relationship of Repor (Check all applicable) X Director		0 ()	to Issuer % Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 300 PEACH STREET				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/08/2016									Offic belov	er (give title w)		ner (specify low)		
P.O. BOX 7000			4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street) EL DORADO AR 71731-7000			1731-7000									X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City) (State) (Zip)																		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea	r) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acc Disposed Of (D)			quired (A) or (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
							Code	v	Amoun	t	(A) or (D)	Price		Transact (Instr. 3	tion(s)		(11541.4)	
Common	Stock		08/08/2016				P		22,59	)4 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	\$21.933	36 <sup>(2)</sup>	219,	776(1)	I	Partnership	
Common Stock			08/09/2016	5			P		1,55	<b>3</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	A	\$21.933	36 <sup>(2)</sup>	221,	329(1)	I	Partnership	
Common Stock			08/09/2016	.6			P		11,70	)3 <sup>(3)</sup>	A	\$28.4153(4)		219,563 <sup>(5)</sup>		I	Partnership	
Common Stock			08/09/2016	.6			P		828	(3)	A	\$28.4153(4)		2,097,797 <sup>(5)(6)</sup>		I	By Trusts	
Common Stock			08/09/2016	6			P	P		(3)	A	\$28.4153(4)		146,345		I	Trustee For My Children	
Common Stock													165,516 <sup>(5)</sup>		I	By Spouse		
Common Stock													0 <sup>(7)</sup>		<b>)</b> (7)	I	Co-trustee Of Family Trusts	
		Та	ble II - Derivat (e.g., pu											Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  Secur Acqui (A) or Dispoof (D) (Instr.		Derivat Securit Acquir	tive ties ed sed	Expiration	Exercisable and on Date Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe		t		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Owners Form: Direct (I or Indire (I) (Instr	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
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- 1. The reporting person's beneficial ownership of shares held in the family partnership increased (i) by 22,594 shares as a result of the reporting person's cash purchase, pursuant to a right of first refusal, of a portion of another partner's interest in the partnership effective as of August 8, 2016 and (ii) by 1,553 shares as a result of a cash redemption of such other partner's former interest in the general partner of the partnership effective as of August 9, 2016.
- 2. The purchase price was determined based on a valuation of the partnership's assets as of May 23, 2016, minus a 26% minority discount factor. The closing price of the issuer's common stock as reported on the New York Stock Exchange on May 23, 2016, was \$29.64.
- 3. On August 9, 2016, the family partnership acquired shares in a market purchase, increasing the reporting person's indirect beneficial ownership by an aggregate of 12,656 shares: 11,703 shares through the family partnership, 828 shares through the reporting person's trusts and 125 shares through trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's children for which the reporting person serves as trustee.
- 4. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$28.14 to \$28.54, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Murphy Oil Corporation, any security holder of Murphy Oil Corporation, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price reported in this Form 4.
- 5. On August 9, 2016, the reporting person and his spouse funded with 864,250 shares and other assets, a newly created revocable trust. As a result, 783,438 shares previously reported as directly held, 67,343 shares previously reported as held indirectly through his spouse and 13,469 shares previously reported as held through the family partnership are now reported as held indirectly by the reporting person through the revocable trust
- 6. The remaining 1,232,719 shares were previously reported as held through trusts.
- 7. Since the reporting person's last Form 4 filing, the reporting person resigned as a co-trustee of various family trusts for which the reporting person previously reported beneficial ownership of 1,495,644 shares. At no time did the reporting person have a pecuniary interest in such trusts or any shares held therein.

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

08/10/2016

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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