## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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<b>STATEMENT</b>	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  THEUS CAROLINE G			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  MURPHY OIL CORP /DE [ MUR ]						5. Relationship of Repo (Check all applicable) X Director			10% O		Owner					
(Last) 200 PEA P.O. BOX	CH STRE	,	(Middle)			ate of E 01/200	Earliest Trans )7	saction (	Month	n/Day/Year)				Office below	er (give titl v)	le	Othe belov	r (specify v)	
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(City)	(9	state)	(Zip)										Person						
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a 5)		nd Securities Beneficially Owned Follow		s illy ollowing	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
									v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3		on(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock		08/01/2007		7		J <sup>(1)</sup>		537,252	D	\$(	0	0		I		Trustee for siblings			
Common	Stock													359,	533		D		
Common	Stock													537,	,252			Beneficiary of Trusts	
Common	Stock													10,	500		I	By Spouse	
Common	Stock													18,0	000		I	Jointly with Spouse	
Common Stock											6,684		684		I	Self, Trustee for my son			
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Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		4. Transac Code (II 8)	5. Number of		6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		isable and	sable and 7. Title and Amount of		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
Synlanation					Code	v	(A) (D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date		or Number of Shares							

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Reporting person ceased as Co-Trustee of reported 537,252 shares effective August 1, 2007, and expressly disclaims any beneficial ownership.

## Remarks:

/s/ Walter K. Compton, 09/04/2007 Attorney-in-Fact

\*\* 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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