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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

DEMING CLAIBORNE P

(Last)   (First)   (Middle)

200 PEACH STREET

P.O. BOX 7000

(Street)

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(City)   (State)   (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

MURPHY OIL CORP /DE [MUR]

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)

12/31/2007

4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)

X Director   10% Owner

X Officer (give title below)   Other (specify below)

President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting 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 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	12/31/2007		J(1)	730	A	$0	53,546	I	Trustee, Company Thrift Plan
Common Stock							697,907	D	
Common Stock							1,529,536	I	Beneficiary of Trusts
Common Stock							43,888	I	By Spouse
Common Stock							81,115.2	I	Family Limited Partnership
Common Stock							50,793	I	Indirectly by daughter
Common Stock							287,222	I	Self, Trustee for my children

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Phantom Stock Unit	$0(2)	12/31/2007		J	2,117		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	2,117	$0	60,335	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares obtained through Company Thrift Plan.

2. Each phantom stock unit is the economic equivalent of one (1) share of Murphy Oil Corporation common stock.

3. The reported phantom stock units were acquired under Murphy Oil Corporation's excess benefit plan and are to be settled upon the reporting person's retirement or other termination of service. The reporting person may transfer the value of his phantom stock units into an alternative investment account at any time prior to settlement.

Remarks:

/s/ Walter K. Compton, Attorney-in-Fact   02/01/2008

** 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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