MURPHY OIL CORP /DE

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Common

Stock

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ECKART JOHN W			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MURPHY OIL CORP /DE [MUR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
200 PEACH STREET, P.O. BOX 7000			11/14/2013	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
				Senior VP & Controller		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
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(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/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (4 and 3 (A) or	5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/14/2013		Code V M	Amount 19,373 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 43.8753	46,940	D	
Common Stock	11/14/2013		F(2)	16,561	D	\$ 61.305	30,379	D	
Common Stock	11/14/2013		S	2,812	D	\$ 61.8343	27,567	D	

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

Trustee,

Company

Thrift Plan

8,300

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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)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of tionDerivative 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 43.8753	11/14/2013	M		19,373 (1)	02/06/2009	02/06/2014	Common Stock	19,373

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ECKART JOHN W 200 PEACH STREET P.O. BOX 7000 EL DORADO, AR 71731-7000

Senior VP & Controller

Signatures

/s/ Walter K. Compton, attorney-in-fact

11/18/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Original award of 17,500 stock options was adjusted by a ratio of 1.1070 on September 6, 2013 as a result of the spin-off of Murphy USA Inc.
- (2) 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 November 13, 2013 of \$61.305.
- (3) Award granted under the 1992 Management Stock Incentive Plan.

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