Stewart Michael K Form 4 February 29, 2012

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

OMB Number:

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7. Nature of

Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Stewart Michael K

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol MARATHON OIL CORP [MRO]

(Month/Day/Year)

02/27/2012

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(State)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

See Remarks (1)

(Check all applicable)

C/O MARATHON OIL CORPORATION, 5555 SAN **FELIPE ROAD**

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

below)

(Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

HOUSTON, TX 77056

(City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

5. Amount of 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 6. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: (Month/Day/Year) Owned Direct (D) (Instr. 8) or Indirect Following

Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

(Instr. 4)

D

Price

Code V Amount (D)

Marathon Oil

Stock

Corporation 02/27/2012 Common

F

1.647

33,131.252

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

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

10% Owner Officer Other Director

Stewart Michael K C/O MARATHON OIL CORPORATION 5555 SAN FELIPE ROAD HOUSTON, TX 77056

See Remarks (1)

Signatures

Yvonne R. Kunetka, Attorney-in-Fact for Michael K.

Stewart 02/29/2012

> **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).

Remarks:

(1) Vice President, Accounting, Controller and Treasurer

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