MCDONALDS CORP

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Stratton Jeffrey P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last) (First) (Middle) MCDONALDS CORP [MCD]

(Check all applicable)

MCDONALD'S

CORPORATION, 2915 JORIE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 09/12/2014

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

President, McDonald's USA

BOULEVARD

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

OAK BROOK, IL 60523

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3,	sed of	` ′	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	04/23/2014		G	255	D	\$ 0	7,140	D	
Common Stock	04/23/2014		G	4	D	\$ 0	7,136	D	
Common Stock	09/12/2014		S	7,136	D	\$ 93.8281 (1)	0	D	
Common Stock	09/12/2014		S	425	D	\$ 93.81	0	I	By Wife
	09/12/2014		M	23,173	A	\$ 56.64	23,173	D	

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Common Stock

\$ 92.971 0 Common 23,173 D S D 09/12/2014 Stock

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 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 or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Y Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		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
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 56.64	09/12/2014		M	23,173	(3)	02/13/2018	Common Stock	23,173
Phantom Stock	<u>(4)</u>					(5)	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	18,536.04

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Stratton Jeffrey P MCDONALD'S CORPORATION 2915 JORIE BOULEVARD OAK BROOK, IL 60523			President, McDonald's USA				

Signatures

/s/ Christopher Weber, 09/16/2014 Attorney-in-fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

2 Reporting Owners

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- * 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).
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$93.81 to \$93.835 per share. The price reported represents the weighted average sales price of these trades. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the shares sold at each separate price.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$92.95 to \$93.01 per share. The price reported represents the weighted average sales price of these trades. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) Options become exercisable in 25% increments on the first, second, third and fourth anniversary dates of the grant.
- (4) Each share of phantom stock represents a right to receive the cash value of one share of McDonald's Corporation common stock.
- (5) Shares of phantom stock are payable in cash following the reporting person's separation from service with McDonald's.

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