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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Mitchell Stewart A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MCDERMOTT INTERNATIONAL INC [MDR]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 757 N. ELD	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/04/2012			Director 10% Owner Street (give title Other (specify below) below) SVP and GM, Middle East				
				amendment, Date Original Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
HOUSTON, TX 77079								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/04/2012			M	3,324	A	<u>(1)</u>	24,068	D	
Common Stock	03/04/2012			F	1,163	D	\$ 14.66	22,905	D	
Common Stock	03/04/2012			M	1,137	A	(1)	24,042	D	
Common Stock	03/04/2012			F	397	D	\$ 14.66	23,645	D	

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)	Code	5. Number ion Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	of Derivative Expiration Date (Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		d 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	03/04/2012	M	3,324	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	3,324	\$
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	03/04/2012	M	1,137	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	1,137	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Mitchell Stewart A			SVP and				
757 N. ELDRIDGE PARKWAY			GM,				
HOUSTON, TX 77079			Middle East				

Signatures

Liane K. Hinrichs, by Power of Attorney 03/06/2012

**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).
- (1) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of MDR common stock.
- (2) The restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning March 4, 2011.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning March 4, 2012.

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