MCDONALDS CORP

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

BOULEVARD

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

C/O MCDONALD'S

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Armario Jose

(First)

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

MCDONALDS CORP [MCD]

(Check all applicable)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title 03/16/2015 below) Corp Exec VP, Supply Chain

CORPORATION. 2915 JORIE

(Middle)

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

OAK BROOK, IL 60523

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common 8,488 D Stock

Profit Common Ι 9,938.46 Sharing Stock Plan

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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 Underlying Securition (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou Numb Shares
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 97.15	03/16/2015		A	25,727	<u>(1)</u>	03/16/2025	Common Stock	25,
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	03/16/2015		A	4,375 (3)	03/16/2018(3)	03/16/2018	Common Stock	4,3
Phantom Stock	<u>(4)</u>					(5)	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	12,3

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

Armario Jose C/O MCDONALD'S CORPORATION 2915 JORIE BOULEVARD OAK BROOK, IL 60523

Corp Exec VP, Supply Chain

Signatures

/s/ Christopher Weber, Attorney-in-fact

03/18/2015

**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) Options become exercisable in 25% increments on the first, second, third and fourth anniversary dates of the grant.
- Each restricted stock unit (RSU) represents a right to acquire one share of McDonald's Corporation common stock. Upon vesting, payout under the RSUs will be in the form of shares or, at the discretion of the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors, the cash value thereof. No dividend, voting or other shareholder rights attach to the RSUs until they vest and only if the payout upon vesting is in shares of common stock.
- (3) Subject to performance vesting condition based on diluted earnings per share growth. The amount reported represents the target amount of the award. Based on actual performance, the reporting person may earn between 0% and 200% of the amount reported.
- (4) Each share of phantom stock represents a right to receive the cash value of one share of McDonald's Corporation common stock.

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(5) Shares of phantom stock are payable in cash following the reporting person's separation from service with McDonald's.

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