MCDONALDS CORP

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **ECKERT ROBERT**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

MCDONALDS CORP [MCD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Other (specify

Issuer

below)

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director 10% Owner

Officer (give title

333 CONTINENTAL **BOULEVARD, MAIL STOP:**

M1-1524

(City)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Month/Day/Year)

12/31/2007

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

EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245-5012

(Zip) 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

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

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Ownership Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported

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

Common Stock

Code V Amount (D) Price

Family Ι 10,000 Trust

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed			6. Date Exer	6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and Amount of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if			Expiration Date		Underlying Securities		Deriva
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day	/Year)	(Instr. 3 and	4)	Securi
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired					(Instr.
	Derivative				(A) or					
	Security				Disposed of					
					(D)					
					(Instr. 3, 4,					
					and 5)					
									Amount	
						D-4-	E		or	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Number	
						Exercisable	Date		of	
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares	
Phantom Stock	<u>(1)</u>	12/31/2007		A(2)	2,054	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	2,054	\$ 58

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ECKERT ROBERT

333 CONTINENTAL BOULEVARD
MAIL STOP: M1-1524
EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245-5012

Signatures

/s/ Christopher Weber, Attorney-in-fact 01/03/2008

**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) Acquisition of phantom stock pursuant to Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan. The phantom stock converts to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (2) Acquisition of phantom stock pursuant to Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan in transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3(d)(1). Amount represents deferred compensation or dividends reinvested.
- (3) Payment of phantom stock may be deferred until the earlier of the director?s retirement date or other termination from the Board or a specific future date pursuant to an election.

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