#### MDC PARTNERS INC

Form 4

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## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* KAMERSCHEN ROBERT

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

MDC PARTNERS INC [MDCA]

(First) (Middle) (Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title below)

(Check all applicable)

C/O MDC PARTNERS INC., 745 FIFTH AVENUE

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

08/09/2011

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10151

| (City)                               | (State)                              | (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |   |   |   |             |  |  |   |  |  |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---|---|---|-------------|--|--|---|--|--|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year)                            | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities on(A) or Dispo (Instr. 3, 4 a |   | d of (D)    | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |  |  |
| Class A<br>Shares                    |                                      |  |   |   |   |             | 273,459 (1)  | D  |   |  |  |
| Class A<br>Shares                    | 08/09/2011                           |  | P                                       | 2,500                                       | A | \$<br>15.76 | 275,959 (1) (2)  | 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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) |                     | te                 | 7. Title an of Underl Securities (Instr. 3 a |                                     | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---------------------|--------------------|--|-------------------------------------|--|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                  | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares |  |
| Stock<br>Options                                    | \$ 8.95   |   |   |   |   | 04/28/2006          | 04/28/2016         | Class<br>A<br>Shares                         | 5,000                               |  |
| SARs (4)  | \$ 3.72   |   |   |   |   | 03/10/2010          | 03/09/2014         | Class<br>A<br>Shares                         | 10,000                              |  |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
|                                | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |

KAMERSCHEN ROBERT C/O MDC PARTNERS INC. 745 FIFTH AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10151



## **Signatures**

/s/ Robert

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\*\*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) Includes shares of unvested Restricted Stock (Class A Shares) of the Issuer.
- (2) Represents open market purchases.
- (3) Stock Options (previously granted on April 28, 2006) expire ten (10) years from the grant date.

The Stock Appreciation Rights ("SARs") granted on March 10, 2009 vest over three (3) years from the grant date: 33% vested on the first anniversary of the grant date, and 34% vest on the third anniversary of the grant date, and all such SARs expire five (5) years from the grant date. These SARs may be settled in cash or stock, at the discretion of the Issuer

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