#### MDC PARTNERS INC

Form 4

March 02, 2012

## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Washington, D.C. 20549

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may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

**SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

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

(First)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

MDC PARTNERS INC [MDCA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2012

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

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

C/O MDC PARTNERS INC., 745 FIFTH AVENUE

(Middle)

(Zip)

(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

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

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or			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)
Class A Shares			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	320,995 (1)	D	
Class A Shares	03/01/2012		P	10,000	A	\$ 13.11	330,995 (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 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. onNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	5		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	,	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options	\$ 8.95					04/28/2006	04/28/2016	Class A Shares	5,000	
SARs (4)	\$ 3.72					03/10/2010	03/09/2014	Class A 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

Kamerschen 03/02/2011

\*\*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.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price of open market purchases. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$13.09 to \$13.15, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to MDC Partners Inc., any security holder of MDC Partners Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnote (2) to this Form 4.
- (3) Stock Options (previously granted on April 28, 2006) expire ten (10) years from the grant date.

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(4) The Stock Appreciation Rights ("SARs") granted on March 10, 2009, all of which are vested as of January 20, 2012, 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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