Kerrigan Sylvia J Form 4 September 05, 2012

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Middle)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Kerrigan Sylvia J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

MARATHON OIL CORP [MRO]

(Check all applicable)

C/O MARATHON OIL

(First)

(Street)

(State)

CORPORATION. 5555 SAN FELIPE RD.

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 09/04/2012

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)

V.P., Gen. Counsel & Secretary

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

HOUSTON, TX 77056

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

(Zip)

4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

D

7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) or Code V Amount (D)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

Marathon Oil

Stock

Corporation 09/04/2012 Common

F 4.521

Price

48,494,205

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)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Kerrigan Sylvia J C/O MARATHON OIL CORPORATION 5555 SAN FELIPE RD. HOUSTON, TX 77056

V.P., Gen. Counsel & Secretary

Signatures

Yvonne R. Kunetka, Attorney-in-Fact for Sylvia J. Kerrigan

09/05/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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