

BUFFETT WARREN E

Form 4

October 14, 2010

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY INC**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3555 FARNAM STREET

(Street)

OMAHA, NE 68131

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
**MOODYS CORP /DE/ [MCO]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
10/12/2010

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

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

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)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	10/12/2010		S		316,312	D	\$ 27.5973 (1)	28,557,444 (5)	I	See footnotes 3 and 4. (3) (4)
Common Stock	10/13/2010		S		53,834	D	\$ 27.9538 (2)	28,503,610	I	See footnotes 3 and 4. (3) (4)

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. Number of 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 10)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY INC 3555 FARNAM STREET OMAHA, NE 68131	X
BUFFETT WARREN E 3555 FARNAM STREET OMAHA, NE 68131	X
NATIONAL INDEMNITY CO 3024 HARNEY STREET OMAHA, NE 68131	X
OBH LLC 3555 FARNAM STREET, SUITE 1440 OMAHA, NE 68131	X

## Signatures

Berkshire Hathaway Inc., by Marc D.  
Hamburg 10/14/2010

\_\_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) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$27.40 to \$27.75. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Moody's Corporation, any security holder of Moody's Corporation, or the staff of

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the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes 1 and 2 to this Form 4.

- (2) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$27.90 to \$28.00.

12,784,210 of these shares are owned by National Indemnity Company ("NICO"), and 15,719,400 of these shares are owned by

- (3) Government Employees Insurance Company ("GEICO"). GEICO is a subsidiary of GEICO Corporation, and GEICO Corporation is a subsidiary of NICO. NICO is a subsidiary of OBH LLC ("OBH"). OBH is a subsidiary of Berkshire Hathaway Inc. ("Berkshire").

As OBH and Berkshire are each in the chain of ownership of NICO and GEICO, each of Berkshire and OBH may be deemed presently to both beneficially own and have a pecuniary interest in all shares of Moody's Corporation common stock presently owned by NICO and GEICO. As GEICO is in the chain of ownership of NICO, NICO may be deemed presently to both beneficially own and have a pecuniary

- (4) interest in all shares of Moody's Corporation common stock presently owned by GEICO. Warren E. Buffett, as the controlling stockholder of Berkshire, may be deemed presently to beneficially own, but only to the extent he has a pecuniary interest in, the shares of Moody's Corporation common stock presently owned by NICO and GEICO. Mr. Buffett disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

This reflects the number of shares beneficially owned by the Reporting Persons following the transaction on October 12, 2010. This

- (5) number has been adjusted to account for a 430 share understatement due an error in the Form 4 filed by the Reporting Persons on September 14, 2010, in which a sale of 252,270 shares on September 13, 2010 was incorrectly reported as a sale of 252,700 shares. This understatement carried forward in the aggregate holdings of the Reporting Persons reported in a Form 4 filed on September 22, 2010.

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