MARATHON OIL CORP

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CAZALOT CLARENCE P JR

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(Middle)

(Zip)

MARATHON OIL CORP [MRO]

(Check all applicable)

C/O MARATHON OIL **CORPORATION. 5555 SAN**

FELIPE ROAD

(City)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/29/2007

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

President and CEO

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

HOUSTON, TX 77056

(City)	(511110)	Table	I - Non-De	rivative Se	ecuriti	ies Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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 n(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	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
COMMON STOCK	01/29/2007		A(1)	62,250	A	\$ 0	397,498	D	
COMMON STOCK	01/29/2007		F	50,097	D	\$ 88.25	347,401	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amount	t of	Derivative	Deriv
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						Exercisable		Title Number of			
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				Code V	(A) (D)			S	hares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CAZALOT CLARENCE P JR C/O MARATHON OIL CORPORATION 5555 SAN FELIPE ROAD HOUSTON, TX 77056	X		President and CEO				

Signatures

R. J. Kolencik, Attorney-in-Fact for Clarence P. 01/31/2007 Cazalot, Jr

> **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).
- Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

These shares were granted under Marathon Oil Corporation's 2003 Incentive Compensation Plan. As a result of previously granted (1) performance shares issued to the reporting person vesting at 183 percent of target in accordance with a pre-established vesting matrix, these shares vested as of the date of grant.

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