

Stratton Jeffrey P
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Stratton Jeffrey P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
MCDONALDS CORP [MCD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Corp Executive Vice President

(Last) (First) (Middle)
MCDONALD'S
CORPORATION, 2915 JORIE
BOULEVARD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/25/2010

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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OAK BROOK, IL 60523

(City) (State) (Zip)

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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	01/25/2010		M	A	\$ 32.6	9,204	D
Common Stock	01/25/2010		S	D	\$ 63.4608	3,339	D
Common Stock						6	I By Children
Common Stock						13,603.57	I Profit Sharing Plan

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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 (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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.6	01/25/2010		M	5,865	(1)	02/16/2015	Common Stock	5,865
Phantom Stock	(2)					(3)	(3)	Common Stock	8,520.11

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Stratton Jeffrey P MCDONALD'S CORPORATION 2915 JORIE BOULEVARD OAK BROOK, IL 60523			Corp Executive Vice President	

Signatures

/s/ Christopher Weber,
Attorney-in-fact

01/27/2010

__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) Options become exercisable in 25% increments on the first, second, third and fourth anniversary dates of the grant.
- (2) Each share of phantom stock represents the right to receive the cash value of one share of McDonald's Corporation common stock.
- (3) Shares of phantom stock are payable in cash following the reporting person's separation from service with McDonald's.

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