

MCDERMOTT INTERNATIONAL INC  
 Form 4  
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**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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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**WILKINSON BRUCE W**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**MCDERMOTT INTERNATIONAL INC [MDR]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**C/O MCDERMOTT INTERNATIONAL, INC., 777 N. ELDRIDGE PARKWAY**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**08/01/2008**

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**Chairman and CEO**

(Street)  
**HOUSTON, TX 77079**

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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**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)
Common Stock	08/01/2008		M <sup>(1)</sup>	43,640 A	\$ 6.7267 729,472	D	
Common Stock	08/01/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>	43,640 D	<sup>(2)</sup> <sup>(3)</sup> 685,832	D	
Common Stock					10,295 <sup>(4)</sup>	I	401k Plan

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. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.7267	08/01/2008		M <sup>(1)</sup>	43,640	<sup>(5)</sup> 05/12/2015	Common Stock	43,640

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WILKINSON BRUCE W C/O MCDERMOTT INTERNATIONAL, INC. 777 N. ELDRIDGE PARKWAY HOUSTON, TX 77079	X		Chairman and CEO	

## Signatures

Liane K. Hinrichs, by power of attorney  
08/05/2008

\*\*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 sales and underlying exercises reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to Rule 10b-1 trading plan.

The stock was sold in multiple transactions at the following prices: 100 @ \$47.11; 200 @ \$47.12; 100 @ \$47.14; 300 @ \$47.15; 600 @ \$47.17; 300 @ \$47.21; 200 @ \$47.22; 293 @ \$47.23; 600 @ \$47.24; 100 @ \$47.26; 100 @ \$47.265; 300 @ \$47.27; 400 @ \$47.28; 300 @ \$47.29; 100 @ \$47.32; 300 @ \$47.33; 100 @ \$47.34; 100 @ \$47.37; 107 @ \$47.38; 100 @ \$47.40; 100 @ \$47.43; 200 @ \$47.45; 200 @ \$47.46; 100 @ \$47.47; 100 @ \$47.48; 100 @ \$47.49; 400 @ \$47.50; 100 @ \$47.51; 300 @ \$47.52; 200 @ \$47.55; 200 @ \$47.56; 300 @ \$47.57; 200 @ \$47.58; 200 @ \$47.59; 300 @ \$47.60; 600 @ \$47.62; 200 @ \$47.64; 300 @ \$47.67; 300 @ \$47.68; 100 @ \$47.69; 1,340 @ \$47.70; 300 @ \$47.71; 400 @ \$47.72; 600 @ \$47.73; 1,000 @ \$47.74; 700 @ \$47.75; 1,000 @ \$47.76; 200 @ \$47.765; 800 @ \$47.77; 1,100 @ \$47.78; 1,000 @ \$47.79; 1,700 @ \$47.80; 100 @ \$47.805; 300 @ \$47.81; 100 @ \$47.815; 700 @ \$47.82; 100 @ \$47.84; 300 @ \$47.87; 400 @ \$47.88; 100 @ \$47.89; 200 @ \$47.895; 200 @ \$47.90; 100 @ \$47.905; coninued on footnote 3

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- continued from footnote 2: 1,000 @ \$47.91; 200 @ \$47.915; 1,000 @ \$47.92; 600 @ \$47.93; 1,600 @ \$47.94; 1,600 @ \$47.95; 1,100 @ \$47.96; 700 @ \$47.97; 1,200 @ \$47.98; 1,900 @ \$47.99; 900 @ \$48.00; 200 @ \$48.01; 1,600 @ \$48.02; 900 @ \$48.03; 200 @ \$48.035; 700 @ \$48.04; 100 @ \$48.05; 400 @ \$48.06; 100 @ \$48.065; 500 @ \$48.08; 100 @ \$48.09; 400 @ \$48.10; 200 @ \$48.11; 100 @ \$48.13; 444 @ \$48.14; 100 @ \$48.15; 200 @ \$48.155; 400 @ \$48.19; 400 @ \$48.20; 369 @ \$48.22; 200 @ \$48.23; 156 @ \$48.24; 100 @ \$48.26; 100 @ \$48.30; 31 @ \$48.31; 200 @ \$48.35; 400 @ \$48.37; 100 @ \$48.39; 400 @ \$48.45; 100 @ \$48.46; 200 @ \$48.47; 100 @ \$48.48; 100 @ \$48.50; 100 @ \$48.52 and 200 @ \$48.55.
- (3)
- (4) Based upon the units held in 401k Plan and the fair market value of Common Stock as of August 1, 2008.
- (5) This option vested in three equal installments on May 12, 2006, 2007 and 2008

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