

MARATHON OIL CORP  
Form 8-K/A  
November 29, 2004

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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 8-K/A**  
**(Amendment No. 1)**

**CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): March 18, 2004

**MARATHON OIL CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

**1-5153**  
(Commission File Number)

**25-0996816**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

**5555 San Felipe Road, Houston, Texas**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**77056-2723**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (713) 629-6600

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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EXPLANATORY NOTE

This amendment to the Current Report on Form 8-K dated March 18, 2004 and filed March 22, 2004 of Marathon Oil Corporation ( Marathon ) is being filed to reclassify Exhibits 10.1, 10.2, 10.3 and 10.4 as Exhibits 2.2, 2.3, 2.4 and 2.5, respectively. In accordance with Rule 12b-15 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the text of the amended item is set forth in its entirety in the pages attached hereto. In addition, the Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of Marathon Ashland Petroleum LLC and the Put/Call Registration Rights and Standstill Agreement were filed as Exhibits 10(n) and 10(o), respectively, on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2003 and are being refiled to include all attachments.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(a) Financial Statements

None.

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information

None.

(c) Exhibits

- 2.1 Master Agreement dated as of March 18, 2004, among Ashland Inc., ATB Holdings Inc., EXM LLC, New EXM Inc., Marathon Oil Corporation, Marathon Oil Company, Marathon Domestic LLC and Marathon Ashland Petroleum LLC (the Master Agreement ).
- 2.2\* Tax Matters Agreement dated as of March 18, 2004, among Ashland Inc., ATB Holdings Inc., EXM LLC, New EXM Inc., Marathon Oil Corporation, Marathon Oil Company, Marathon Domestic LLC and Marathon Ashland Petroleum LLC.
- 2.3\* Assignment and Assumption Agreement (VIOC Centers) dated as of March 18, 2004, between Ashland Inc. and ATB Holdings Inc.
- 2.4\* Assignment and Assumption Agreement (Maleic Business) dated as of March 18, 2004, between Ashland Inc. and ATB Holdings Inc.
- 2.5\* Amendment No. 2 dated as of March 18, 2004 to the Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement dated as of December 31, 1998 of Marathon Ashland Petroleum LLC, by and between Ashland Inc. and Marathon Oil Company.
- 10.1 Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of Marathon Ashland Petroleum LLC, dated as of December 31, 1998.

10.2 Put/Call, Registration Rights and Standstill Agreement dated as of January 1, 1998 among Marathon Oil Company, USX Corporation, Ashland, Inc. and Marathon Ashland Petroleum LLC.

\* Marathon agrees to furnish supplementally a copy of any omitted schedule to the United States Securities and Exchange Commission upon request.

**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

MARATHON OIL CORPORATION

Date: November 29, 2004

By: */s/* A. G. ADKINS  
A. G. Adkins  
**Vice President-Accounting and Controller**

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