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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Hinrichs Liane K			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			MCDERMOTT INTERNATIONAL INC [MDR]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	Director 10% Owner		
757 N. ELDRIDGE PARKWAY			(Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2012	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SrVP, Gen.Counsel & Corp. Sec.		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
HOUSTON, T	X 77079		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (4 and 5 (A) or	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	03/05/2012		Code V M	Amount 19,169	(D)	Price (1)	100,994	D	
Common Stock	03/05/2012		F	5,070	D	\$ 14.355	95,924	D	
Common Stock	03/05/2012		M	33,283	A	<u>(1)</u>	129,207	D	
Common Stock	03/05/2012		F	8,803	D	\$ 14.44	120,404	D	
Common Stock							2,858 (2)	I	401K Plan

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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 iorDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nu of S
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/05/2012		M		19,169	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	19
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/05/2012		M		33,283	03/05/2012	03/05/2012	Common Stock	33
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/05/2012		A	17,313		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	17
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.44	03/05/2012		A	35,970		<u>(5)</u>	03/05/2019	Common Stock	35

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Hinrichs Liane K							
757 N. ELDRIDGE PARKWAY			SrVP, Gen.Counsel & Corp. Sec.				

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Signatures
Robert E. Stumpf, by Power of

Attorney

03/07/2012

**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).
- (1) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of MDR common stock.
- (2) Based upon units held in 401K Plan and the fair market value of Common Stock as of March 5, 2012.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning March 5, 2010.
- (4) The restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning March 5, 2013.
- (5) The option is exercisable in three equal annual installments beginning March 5, 2013.

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