SKINNER JAMES A

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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 * SKINNER JAMES A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MCDONALDS CORP [MCD]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
MCDONALD'S CORPORATION, 2915 JORIE BOULEVARD		JORIE	(Month/Day/Year) 04/25/2011	X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (spec below) Vice Chairman and CEO			
(Street) OAK BROOK, IL 60523			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 Person			

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. 4. Securities Acquired (A) of TransactiorDisposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price				5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	04/25/2011		M M	Amount 100,000	(D)	\$ 40.4375	284,071	D		
Common Stock	04/25/2011		S	131,012	D	\$ 76.6726 (1)	153,059	D		
Common Stock							95,796	I	By GRAT	
Common Stock							2,926	I	By Trust	

50,788.8

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Common Profit
Stock Sharing
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)	Securities		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 of Number of Shares
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 40.4375	04/25/2011		M		100,000	<u>(3)</u>	05/19/2012	Common Stock	100,000
Phantom Stock	<u>(4)</u>						<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	38,877.6

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

X

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SKINNER JAMES A MCDONALD'S CORPORATION 2915 JORIE BOULEVARD OAK BROOK, IL 60523

Vice Chairman and CEO

Signatures

/s/ Christoper Weber,
Attorney-in-fact
04/27/2011

**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) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$76.54 to \$77.04 per share. The price reported represents the weighted average sales price of these trades. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer,

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or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the shares sold at each separate price.

- (2) These shares are held in a trust for the benefit of the reporting person's daughter. The reporting person's wife is a trustee of the trust.
- (3) Options become exercisable in 25% increments on the first, second, third and fourth anniversary dates of the grant.
- (4) Each share of phantom stock represents a right to receive the cash value of one share of McDonald's Corporation common stock.
- (5) Shares of phantom stock are payable in cash following the reporting person's separation from service with McDonald's.

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