BOYCE GREGORY H

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BOYCE GREGORY H**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

01/02/2013

MARATHON OIL CORP [MRO]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Last)

(Middle)

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

X_ Director Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O MARATHON OIL CORPORATION, 5555 SAN

FELIPE ROAD

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

HOUSTON, TX 77056

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year)

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Securities Beneficially

Owned

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect

7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(Month/Day/Year)

Following Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

(I) (Instr. 4)

Price Code V Amount (D)

Marathon

Security

(Instr. 3)

Oil

Corporation 01/02/2013

5,529.226 Α (1)

\$0 45,777.91 ⁽²⁾ D

Common Stock

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)

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| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | | Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address 10% Owner Officer Other Director

BOYCE GREGORY H C/O MARATHON OIL CORPORATION 5555 SAN FELIPE ROAD HOUSTON, TX 77056



Signatures

Yvonne R. Kunetka, Attorney-in-Fact for Gregory H. Boyce

01/04/2013

**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).

Non-Retainer Annual Director Stock Unit Award granted under Marathon Oil Corporation 2012 Incentive Compensation Plan.

- The annual non-retainer stock based compensation represented by these common stock units are credited to an unfunded account. **(1)** These common stock units, along with their accrued dividend equivalent rights, will vest on January 2, 2016 and be payable in shares of common stock.
- **(2)** Includes dividends of 702.881 shares previously not reported pursuant to Rule 16a-11.

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