#### MDC PARTNERS INC

Form 4

March 12, 2010

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading KAMERSCHEN ROBERT Issuer Symbol MDC PARTNERS INC [MDCA] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify C/O MDC PARTNERS INC., 950 03/11/2010 below) THIRD AVENUE (Street) 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

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City)	(State) (Z	Table Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if		3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial	
(Instr. 3)		any Code Disposed of (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		1	Beneficially Owned	vned Indirect (I)			
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Class A Shares							202,861 (1)	D	
Restricted Stock (Class A Shares)	03/11/2010		A	4,066	A	\$0	206,927 (1) (2)	D	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	s I		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options	\$ 8.95					04/28/2006	04/28/2016	Class A Shares	25,000	
SARs (4)	\$ 3.72					03/10/2010	03/09/2014	Class A Shares	10,000	

## **Reporting Owners**

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

KAMERSCHEN ROBERT C/O MDC PARTNERS INC. 950 THIRD AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022

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## **Signatures**

/s/ Robert

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\*\*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).
  - Includes 8,000 Class A Shares of Restricted Stock (4,000 previously granted on May 2, 2007, and 4,000 previously granted on April 29,
- (1) 2008), which will vest 100% on the third anniversary of the respective grant dates (each, a "Vesting Date"), contingent upon the Reporting Person's continued service as a director through each such Vesting Date.
- (2) These 4,066 Class A Shares of Restricted Stock of the Issuer, granted on March 11, 2010, will vest on the third anniversary of the grant date, contingent upon certain events and the Reporting Person's continued service as a director through the vesting.
- (3) Stock Options (previously granted on April 28, 2006) expire ten (10) years from the grant date.

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The Stock Appreciation Rights ("SARs") granted on March 10, 2009, vest over three (3) years from the Grant Date: 33% (3,300 Class A Shares) on the first anniversary of the Grant Date, 33% (3,300 Class A shares) on the second anniversary of the Grant date, and 34% (3,400 Class A Shares) on the third anniversary of the Grant Date, and expire five (5) years from the Grant Date. These SAR's may be settled in cash or stock, at the discretion of the Issuer.

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