#### CAZALOT CLARENCE P JR

Form 4

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## FORM 4

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* CAZALOT CLARENCE P JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

MARATHON OIL CORP [MRO]

(Check all applicable)

C/O MARATHON OIL **CORPORATION. 5555 SAN FELIPE ROAD** 

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 08/11/2005

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) President and CEO

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Se	curiti	es 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	TransactiorDisposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(IIISII. 4)	
COMMON STOCK	08/11/2005		M	100,000	A	\$ 23.4063	445,637	D	
COMMON STOCK	08/11/2005		M	140,000	A	\$ 32.52	585,637	D	
COMMON STOCK	08/11/2005		M	240,000	A	\$ 28.12	825,637	D	
COMMON STOCK	08/11/2005		D	480,000	D	\$ 63.55 (1)	345,637	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of actionDerivative Securities 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.52	08/11/2005		M(2)		140,000	05/29/2002	05/29/2011	COMMO STOCK
STOCK APPRECIATION RIGHT	\$ 32.52	08/11/2005		M(2)		140,000	05/29/2002	05/29/2011	COMMO
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.4063	08/11/2005		M(2)		100,000	03/03/2005	03/03/2010	COMMO
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.12	08/11/2005		M(2)		240,000	05/28/2003	05/28/2012	COMMO STOCK
STOCK APPRECIATION RIGHT	\$ 23.4063	08/11/2005		M(2)		100,000	03/03/2005	03/03/2010	COMMO STOCK
STOCK APPRECIATION RIGHT	\$ 28.12	08/11/2005		M(2)		240,000	05/28/2003	05/28/2012	COMMO

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
, <u>,</u>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CAZALOT CLARENCE P JR C/O MARATHON OIL CORPORATION 5555 SAN FELIPE ROAD HOUSTON TX 77056	X		President and CEO				

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## **Signatures**

R. J. Kolencik, Attorney-in-Fact for Clarence P. Cazalot, Jr

08/15/2005

\*\*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).
- Under the terms of the Stock Appreciation Right, the Stock Appreciation Right will be adjusted to reflect the highest fair market value of
- (1) Marathon Oil Corporation Common Stock during the ten day trading period commencing August 2, 2005. This Form 4 will be amended if the highest fair market value exceeds the highest fair market value as of August 11, 2005, which is \$63.55.
- (2) Exercise of tandem SAR and cancellation of underlying stock option.

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