GOARE DOUGLAS M

Form 4

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FORM 4

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 * GOARE DOUGLAS M

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

Director 10% Owner

MCDONALD'S

CORPORATION, 2915 JORIE **BOULEVARD**

(Month/Day/Year) 02/19/2018

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Pres., Int. Lead Markets & CRO

(Check all applicable)

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Applicable Line)

OAK BROOK, IL 60523

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned (Instr. 4) Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Reported

Code V Amount (D) Price

5,235 (1) D

Stock

(City)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

Common

Profit 20,342.46 (1) Sharing

Plan

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)

1. Title o Derivativ Security (Instr. 3)	ve Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year	-		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securition (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou Numb Shares	
Options (Right (Buy)		02/19/2018		A	42,017	<u>(2)</u>	02/19/2028	Common Stock	42,0	
Restrict Stock Units	(<u>3)</u>	02/19/2018		A	6,312 (4)	02/19/2021(4)	02/19/2021	Common Stock	6,3	
Phanton Stock	m <u>(5)</u>					<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	5,94	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
in proving a man man reason	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
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MCDONALD'S CORPORATION			Pres., Int.				
2915 JORIE BOULEVARD			Lead Markets				
OAK BROOK, IL 60523			& CRO				

Signatures

/s/ Christopher Weber,
Attorney-in-fact
02/21/2018

**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) Includes shares acquired through dividend reinvestment.
- (2) Options become exercisable in 25% increments on the first, second, third and fourth anniversary dates of the grant.
- Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents a right to acquire one share of McDonald's Corporation common stock. Upon vesting,

 (3) payout under the RSUs will be in the form of shares or, at the discretion of the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors, the cash value thereof.
- (4) Represents the target number of RSUs granted, subject to performance-based vesting conditions linked to diluted earnings per share ("EPS") growth and return on incremental invested capital ("ROIIC") for the period of January 1, 2018 through December 31, 2020 (the "Performance Period"). If McDonald's Corporation satisfies both the EPS and ROIIC thresholds, then the number of RSUs that vest may

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be increased or decreased based upon the McDonald's Corporation total shareholder return relative to the S&P 500 Index over the Performance Period. The number of RSUs earned will range from 0% to 200% of the target number of RSUs granted.

- (5) Each share of phantom stock represents a right to receive the cash value of one share of McDonald's Corporation common stock.
- (6) Shares of phantom stock are payable in cash following the reporting person's separation from service with McDonald's.

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