

MDC PARTNERS INC  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**KAMERSCHEN ROBERT**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O MDC PARTNERS INC., 950  
THIRD AVENUE**

(Street)

**NEW YORK, NY 10022**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**MDC PARTNERS INC [MDCA]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**08/09/2010**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Class A Shares					220,227 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Class A Shares	08/09/2010		P	200 A \$ 12.5	220,427 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Class A Shares	08/10/2010		P	9,800 A \$ 12.47 <sup>(2)</sup>	230,227 <sup>(1)</sup>	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 Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
Stock Options <u>(3)</u>	\$ 8.95					Date Exercisable: 04/28/2006 Expiration Date: 04/28/2016	Class A Shares 25,000	
SARs <u>(4)</u>	\$ 3.72					Date Exercisable: 03/10/2010 Expiration Date: 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		X		

## Signatures

/s/ Robert Kamerschen                      08/11/2010  
 \*\*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 Class A Shares of Restricted Stock.  
 Represents a weighted average price of open market purchases. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$12.35 to \$12.50. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price.

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- (3) Stock Options (previously granted on April 28, 2006) expire ten (10) years from the grant date.

The Stock Appreciation Rights ("SARs") granted on March 10, 2009 vest over three (3) years from the grant date: 33% vested on the first anniversary of the grant date, 33% vest on the second anniversary of the grant date, and 34% vest on the third anniversary of the grant date, and all such SARs expire five (5) years from the grant date. These SARs may be settled in cash or stock, at the discretion of the Issuer.

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