MDC PARTNERS INC

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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See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

Stock (1)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading HYLLAND RICHARD R Symbol MDC PARTNERS INC [MDCA]

(Middle)

(Zip)

(Check all applicable) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Α

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify 03/06/2006 below)

THIRD AVENUE (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Issuer

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(First)

(State)

C/O MDC PARTNERS INC., 950

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities 5. Amount of 7. Nature of 3. TransactionAcquired (A) or Ownership Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Securities Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Class A Subordinate 3,000 D **Voting Shares** Restricted 03/06/2006 D A 4,000 \$0 7,000

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and Am Underlying Sect (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Number of Shares
Stock Appreciation Rights (2)	\$ 9.71 (3)					07/30/2004	07/30/2007	Class A Subordinate Voting Shares	5,000
Stock Options (4)	\$ 10.15 (3)					03/28/2001	03/28/2006	Class A Subordinate Voting Shares	4,000
Stock Options (4)	\$ 7.6 (3)					04/16/2002	04/16/2007	Class A Subordinate Voting Shares	4,000
Stock Options (4)	\$ 7.25 <u>(3)</u>					05/01/2003	05/01/2008	Class A Subordinate Voting Shares	4,000
Class A Share Purchase Warrants (5)	\$ 19.13 (3)					03/12/2004	03/12/2009	Class A Subordinate Voting Shares	619

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HYLLAND RICHARD R						
C/O MDC PARTNERS INC.	X					
950 THIRD AVENUE	Λ					
NEW YORK, NY 10022						

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Signatures

Richard Hylland 03/06/2006

**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) These shares of Restricted Stock will vest on the third anniversary of the grant date, subject to potential accelerated vesting in specified circumstances.
- (2) Stock Appreciation Rights (previously granted on July 30, 2003) vest 1/3 on each anniversary of the grant date, expire four years from the grant date, and may be settled in cash.
- (3) Canadian dollars.
- (4) Stock Options (previously granted on March 28, 2001, April 16, 2002, or May 1, 2003) vest 1/5 on grant and 1/5 on each anniversary of the grant date, expiring five years from the grant date.
- (5) These Class A Share Purchase Warrants form part of the Units issued by the Issuer.

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