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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISS Washington, D.C. 20549							OMMISSION	OMB Number:	3235-0287		
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Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 1(b).											
(Print or Type R	esponses)										
1. Name and Ac CAZALOT (2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MARATHON OIL CORP [MRO]				Ι	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
(Last)	(First) (1	Middle)		Earliest Tra		L	- 1	(Check	c all applicable)		
C/O MARATHON OIL CORPORATION, 5555 SAN FELIPE ROAD			(Month/Day/Year) 01/30/2006				-	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President and CEO			
	(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				1	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person					
HOUSTON, TX 77056 — Form filed by More than One Reporting Person								porting			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	I - Non-De	erivative Se	ecuriti	es Acqui	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. De (Month/Day/Year) Execut any (Month			3.4. Securities AcquiredTransactior(A) or Disposed of (D)Code(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)(Instr. 8)			of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)		
COMMON STOCK	01/30/2006			A <u>(1)</u>	24,750	А	\$0	370,387	D		
COMMON STOCK	01/30/2006			F	35,139	D	\$ 76.82	335,248	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amou Unde Secur	le and unt of rlying rities . 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CAZALOT CLARENCE P JR C/O MARATHON OIL CORPORATION 5555 SAN FELIPE ROAD HOUSTON, TX 77056	Х		President and CEO				
Signatures							
R. J. Kolencik, Attorney-in-Fact for Clarent Cazalot, Jr	ce P.		02/01/2006				

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).

These shares were granted under Marathon Oil Corporation's 2003 Incentive Compensation Plan. As a result of previously granted
 (1) performance shares issued to the reporting person vesting at 133 percent of target in accordance with a pre-established vesting matrix, these shares vested as of the date of grant.

Date

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