

MCDONALDS CORP
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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 *
Fenton Timothy J

(Last) (First) (Middle)
MCDONALD'S APMEA, RBS
TOWER, 1 MATHESON ST.

(Street)

CAUSEWAY BAY, K3 00000

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
MCDONALDS CORP [MCD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
11/06/2008

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)
President, McDonald's APMEA

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price (A) or (D)			
Common Stock	11/06/2008		G	18,980 D	\$ 0 (1) 31,746	D	
Common Stock	11/06/2008		G	18,980 A	\$ 0 (1) 18,980	I (1)	By Trust
Common Stock					500	I	By Son
Common Stock					225	I	By Son

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. Pr Deriv Secu (Instr	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock	(2)					(3)	(3)	Common Stock	18,177.787

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Fenton Timothy J
MCDONALD'S APMEA
RBS TOWER, 1 MATHESON ST.
CAUSEWAY BAY, K3 00000

President, McDonald's APMEA

Signatures

/s/ Christopher Weber,
Attorney-in-fact

11/07/2008

__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) On November 6, 2008, the reporting person transferred 18,980 shares of the Issuer's common stock directly beneficially owned by the reporting person to a living trust of which the reporting person and his spouse are the sole trustees and beneficiaries.
- (2) Each share of phantom stock represents the right to receive the cash value of one share of McDonald's Corporation common stock.
- (3) Shares of phantom stock are payable in cash following the reporting person's separation from service with McDonald's.

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