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## FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NADAL MILES			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol MDC PARTNERS INC [MDCA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O MDC PARTNERS INC., 45  HAZELTON AVENUE		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(encon un appricable)		
		NC., 45	(Month/Day/Year) 03/11/2010	X Director 10% Owner Selection Other (specify below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
TORONTO, A	46 M5R 2E3	3	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-De	erivative Se	ecuriti	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		l of	Securities Fo Beneficially (D Owned Inc	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Shares			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 3,660,828	D	
Restricted Stock (Class A Shares)	03/11/2010		A	13,754	A	\$0	13,754 (1)	I	See FN 1

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		e		nd Amount of ng Securities and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Appreciation Rights (2)	\$ 3.72					02/12/2010	02/12/2014	Class A Shares	2,083,333

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
NADAL MILES C/O MDC PARTNERS INC. 45 HAZELTON AVENUE TORONTO, A6 M5R 2E3	X		Chairman, CEO and President				

## **Signatures**

/s/ Miles Nadal 03/12/2010

\*\*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).
- The Restricted Stock Units (Class A Shares) ("RSUs") of the Issuer awarded on March 11, 2010 will vest on March 11, 2013, subject to (1) accelerated vesting in 2011 and / or 2012, if the Issuer achieves specified financial performance targets in 2011 and 2012, subject to the Reporting Person's continued employment. These RSUs were issued to and are held by an Affiliate of the Reporting Person.
- Stock Appreciation Rights ("SARs") granted February 12, 2009, vest 33% on the first anniversary of the grant date, 33% on the second anniversary of the grant date, and 34% on the third anniversary of the grant date, and expire on February 12, 2014. These SARs may be settled in cash or stock, at the discretion of the Issuer.

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