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| January 28,   | 2016  |                           |  |  |                      |           |                          |                     |  |  |  |  |
| FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISS Washington, D.C. 20549   |   |                           |  |  |                      | OMMISSION | OMB AF<br>OMB<br>Number: | PROVAL<br>3235-0287 |  |  |  |  |
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| GOARE DOUGLAS M Symb  |   |                           | Symbol   |  |                      |           |                          |                     | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to<br>Issuer  |  |  |  |
| (Last)  | (First) (I  | Middle)                   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Chec  |  |                      |           | (Check                   | k all applicable)   |  |  |  |  |
| MCDONA<br>EUROPE, I<br>THEATRE  | BOULEVARD D   | U                         | (Month/I<br>01/26/2  | Day/Year)<br>016                             | )                    |           |                          |                     | Director<br>_X Officer (give t<br>elow)<br>President,  |  | Owner<br>r (specify<br>kets  |  |
| CENEVA  | (Street)  | Vo CH                     | 4. If Ame<br>Filed(Mo  | endment,<br>nth/Day/Y                        |                      | rigina    | 1                        | A                   | 5. Individual or Joi<br>Applicable Line)<br>X_ Form filed by Ou<br>Form filed by Mo                                | ne Reporting Per   | rson   |  |
| 1204  | SWITZERLAND   | , тосп                    |  |  |                      |           |                          | F                   | Person   |  |  |  |
| (City)  | (State)   | (Zip)                     | Tab  | le I - Non                                   | -Deriv               | ative     | Secur                    | ities Acqui         | red, Disposed of,  | or Beneficiall   | y Owned  |  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)  | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year)             |                           | Date, if   | 3.<br>Transact<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8)<br>Code | tiomr I<br>(Ins<br>) |           | ed of (                  | D)                  | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)            |  |
| Common<br>Stock   | 01/26/2016  |                           |  | М  | 15,                  | ,634      | А                        | \$ 57.08            | 18,879   | D  |  |  |
| Common<br>Stock   | 01/26/2016  |                           |  | М  | 16,                  | ,596      | А                        | \$ 63.25            | 35,475   | D  |  |  |
| Common<br>Stock   | 01/26/2016  |                           |  | S  | 32,                  | ,230      | D                        | \$<br>120.49<br>(1) | 3,245  | D  |  |  |
| Common<br>Stock   |   |                           |  |  |                      |           |                          |                     | 19,410.55  | I  | Profit<br>Sharing<br>Plan  |  |

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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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactio<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | TransactiorDerivative<br>Code Securities |                     | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                 | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  |
|---|---|---|---|--|--|---------------------|--|-----------------|---|--|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                 | (A) (D)                                  | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date   | Title           | Amount or<br>Number of<br>Shares                                    |  |
| Options<br>(Right to<br>Buy)                        | \$ 57.08  | 01/26/2016                              |   | М                                      | 15,634                                   | (2)                 | 02/11/2019   | Common<br>Stock | 15,634  |  |
| Options<br>(Right to<br>Buy)                        | \$ 63.25  | 01/26/2016                              |   | М                                      | 16,596                                   | <u>(2)</u>          | 02/10/2020   | Common<br>Stock | 16,596  |  |
| Phantom<br>Stock                                    | <u>(3)</u>  |   |   |  |  | <u>(4)</u>          | <u>(4)</u>   | Common<br>Stock | 5,695.42  |  |

### **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                              |       |  |  |  |
|--|---------------|-----------|------------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                      | Other |  |  |  |
| GOARE DOUGLAS M<br>MCDONALD'S EUROPE<br>BOULEVARD DU THEATRE, 3<br>GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, V8 CH 1204 |               |           | President, Int. Lead Markets |       |  |  |  |
| Signatures   |               |           |                              |       |  |  |  |
| /s/ Jeffrey J. Pochowicz,<br>Attorney-in-fact  | 01/28/2       | 2016      |                              |       |  |  |  |
|  |               |           |                              |       |  |  |  |

\*\*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) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$120.46 to \$120.51 per share. The price reported represents the weighted average sales price of these trades. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer,

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or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the shares sold at each separate price.

- (2) Options become exercisable in 25% increments on the first, second, third and fourth anniversary dates of the grant.
- (3) Each share of phantom stock represents a right to receive the cash value of one share of McDonald's Corporation common stock.
- (4) Shares of phantom stock are payable in cash following the reporting person's separation from service with McDonald's.

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