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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **ROSENBERG GRAHAM** Issuer Symbol **LAWRENCE** MDC PARTNERS INC [MDCA] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify C/O MDC PARTNERS INC., 45 03/05/2009 below) below) **HAZELTON AVENUE** Managing Director (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting TORONTO ONTARIO Person

CANADA, A6 M5R 2E3

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition(A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4	posed	of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Class A Shares							58,302 (1)	D			
Class A Shares							19,128 (2)	I	See FN (2)		
Class A Shares	03/05/2009		F	12,051	D	\$ 2.99	46,251 (1) (3)	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)	Code of				7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 E S (I
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options	\$ 8.4 (4)					07/31/2003	04/09/2012	Class A Shares	47,625	
Stock Appreciation Rights (5)	\$ 3.72					02/12/2010	02/12/2014	Class A Shares	172,759	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROSENBERG GRAHAM LAWRENCE C/O MDC PARTNERS INC. 45 HAZELTON AVENUE TORONTO ONTARIO CANADA, A6 M5R 2E3

Managing Director

Signatures

/s/ Graham L. Rosenberg 03/10/2009

**Signature of Reporting Date
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).
- (1) Includes unvested Restricted Stock Units (Class A Shares) of the Issuer, a portion of which are subject to achievement by the Issuer of financial performance targets.
- (2) Owned by the spouse of the Reporting Person in an account over which the Reporting Person has trading authority.
- (3) A total of 12,964 shares of Restricted Stock Units (Class A Shares) granted in 2007, and 13,427 shares of Restricted Stock Units (Class A Shares) granted in 2008, vested on March 5, 2009. The Reporting Person elected to have 12,051 Class A Shares withheld by the Issuer to

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satisfy tax withholding requirements.

- (4) Canadian dollars.
 - SAR's granted February 12, 2009, vest 33% on the first anniversary of the grant date, 33% on the second anniversary of the grant date,
- (5) and 34% on the third anniversary of the grant date, and expire on February 12, 2014. These SAR's may be settled in cash or stock, at the discretion of the Issuer.

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