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### FORM 5

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Transactions

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 Form 4 Reported

1. Name and Ad Gendel Mitc	•	orting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle) MDC PARTNERS INC [MDCA]  (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month (Day/Year))		(Check all applicable)			
C/O MDC PARTNERS INC.,, 745 FIFTH AVENUE, 19TH FLOOR			(Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2011	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Gen. Counsel & Corp. Secretary			
(Street			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting  (check applicable line)			

### NEW YORK, NYÂ 10022

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(City)	(State)	${\bf (Zip)} \qquad \qquad {\bf Table~I-Non-Derivative~Securities~Acquired, Disposed~of, or~Beneficially~Owned}$								
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. Securi Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	d (A) od of (D) 4 and (A) or	))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (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	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	88,705	D	Â	
Class A Shares	03/15/2011	Â	G <u>(1)</u>	500	D	\$0	88,205	D	Â	
Class A Shares	05/27/2011	Â	G <u>(1)</u>	600	D	\$0	87,605	D	Â	
Class A Shares	06/01/2011	Â	G <u>(1)</u>	60	D	\$0	87,545	D	Â	

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Class A Shares	08/12/2011	Â	G <u>(1)</u>	40	D	\$0	87,505	D	Â
Class A Shares	11/10/2011	Â	G <u>(1)</u>	250	D	\$ 0	87,255	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Relationships

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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)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	ınt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Gendel Mitchell C/O MDC PARTNERS INC., 745 FIFTH AVENUE, 19TH FLOOR NEW YORK Â NYÂ 10022	Â	Â	Gen. Counsel & Corp. Secretary	Â

## **Signatures**

/s/ Mitchell
Gendel

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

O2/13/2012

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) These Class A Shares were donated to a charitable institution by the Reporting Person.

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