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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Braun James E						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MRC GLOBAL INC. [MRC]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner V Officer (give title Other (specify					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2 HOUSTON CENTER, 909 FANNIN, SUITE 3100						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/09/2012								X Officer (give title Offier (specify below) EVP and CFO					
(Street) HOUST(77010 (Zip)		4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable le) X 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. Transacti Date (Month/Day						Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)		(A) or 3, 4 and 5)		es ally Following	Form (D) o	: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 05/09/2				/2012	2012		P		5,000	A	\$20.399	5,	000		D				
	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 Da if any (Month/Day/Y	Date,	Code (I		of E		6. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		е	of Securities		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e C s F ally C g (I	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal	ble	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$20.85	05/09/2012			A		71,500		05/09/201	17 ⁽¹⁾	05/09/2022	Common Stock	71,500	\$0	71,50	0	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. All of the options reported above will become exercisable on 5/9/2017.

Remarks:

/s/ Brian K. Shore, Attorney-in-

fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

05/11/2012

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

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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