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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MUSE JOHN O			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DARLING INTERNATIONAL INC [DAR]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) DARLING INC., 251 C BLVD, SU	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2012					Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP- Finance and Admin					
IRVING, T	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	Execution any	n Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (A) or			of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	01/31/2012			A	70,000	A	\$ 15.28	284,104	D		
Common Stock	01/31/2012			F	6,373	D	\$ 15.28	277,731	D		

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

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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. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	Amou Under Securi	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MUSE JOHN O DARLING INTERNATIONAL INC. 251 O'CONNOR RIDGE BLVD, SUITE 300 IRVING, TX 75038

EVP-Finance and Admin

Signatures

John O. Muse 02/01/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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