Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Dashner Kay					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MCGRATH RENTCORP [MGRC]									neck all appli Directo	cable) or	ng Person(s) to Iss 10% O		ner	
(Last) 5700 LA	(F S POSITAS	•	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2009									helow)	Officer (give title below) Vice President Human Resources				
(Street) LIVERMORE CA 94551 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									S. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	le I - Non	-Deriva	ative	e Se	curities	s Acc	quired,	Dis	osed c	of, or Be	neficia	ly Owned	I				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)				2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)		ed (A) or str. 3, 4 an	Benefici	es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Price	Transaci (Instr. 3	tion(s)			,iiisii. 4)	
Common Stock														145			I	ESOP	
		-	Table II - I (, or Ben ble secเ		Owned					
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)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					ode	v	(A)		Date Exercisabl		xpiration vate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock	\$15.62	02/27/2009			A		13,000		(1)	0	2/27/2016	Common	13,000	\$15.62	13,00	0	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. 20% vests after one year; 5% vests each quarter thereafter.

Randle F. Rose POA for Kay

Dashner

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

03/03/2009

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

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