FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*  KLIMM ROBERT L  (Last) (First) (Middle)						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol     MKS INSTRUMENTS INC [ MKSI ]      3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)     10/03/2006										Director Officer ( below)	r 10% (give title Othe		10% Ov Other (s below)	vner
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(City)		(State)	(Zip)			-								Form fil Person	ed by More	e than	One Repor	ting		
		Та	ble I - No	n-Deri	ivativ	/e S	ecuri	ities <i>F</i>	Acqu	uired, I	Dis	osed of	, or E	Benef	icially	Owned				
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			3. Transaction Code (Instr. r) 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		) or 4 and 5	Beneficia Owned Fo	s lly ollowing	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
						, , ,		Code	v	Amount	Amount (A		rice	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)			
Common		10/0	10/03/2006					M <sup>(1)</sup>		1,400		A :	\$10.86	11,400.38		D				
Common		10/0	10/03/2006					M <sup>(1)</sup>		788		A :	\$10.86	12,188.38		D				
Common		10/0	10/03/2006					S <sup>(1)</sup>		1,400		D :	\$19.81	10,78	88.38		D			
Common		10/0	03/20	03/2006				<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		788	D \$19.65		\$19.65	10,000.38		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	cise (Month/Day/Year) if any Code ( (Month/Day/Year) 8)  ve		saction of		Exp	6. Date Exercisabl Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		le and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Sect (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e Ownersh s Form: Direct (D or Indirect (I) (Instr.		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exe	e rcisable	E) Dá	piration tte	Title	OI N Of	umber					
Stock Option (right to buy)	(2)	10/03/2006			M <sup>(1)</sup>			1,400	08/0	)8/1988 <sup>(3)</sup>	08	/08/1988 <sup>(4)</sup>	Comr	non 1	,400	\$0	105,02	26	D	
Stock Option (right to	(2)	10/03/2006			M <sup>(1)</sup>			788	08/0	08/1988 <sup>(3)</sup>	08	/08/1988 <sup>(4)</sup>	Comr	non	788	\$0	104,23	38	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The transactions reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan previously adopted by the reporting person.
- $2. \ Option \ conversion \ price \ is \ \$10.86 \ per \ share \ for \ option \ transactions \ reported \ on \ this \ filling.$
- 3. Stock Option Grants include multiple vest dates.
- 4. Expires 10 years after date of grant

By: Joseph M.Tocci / POA 10.

10/04/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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).

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