FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BERTUCCI JOHN R | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MKS INSTRUMENTS INC [MKSI] | | | | | | | | | | | ionship of Reportin all applicable) Director | | ng Person(s) to Is | | |
|--|--|----|--|---|--|---|---|------------------------------------|---|-------------|--|---------------|----|----------------------|---|---|---|--|---|-------------|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 2 TECH DRIVE | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/03/2008 | | | | | | | | | | Office | er (give title v) | | Other below) | (specify |
| SUITE 201 (Street) ANDOVER MA 01810 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | | . Indiv ine) X | rividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable 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. Transac Date (Month/Da | | | | | Execut ay/Year) if any | | A. Deemed kecution Date, any lonth/Day/Year) | | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5) | | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | | Price | | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | (111311. 4) |
| Common 04/03/2 | | | | | /2008 | 2008 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 75,000 |) | D \$22 | | .78 | 2,219,761 | | | I | By Spouse | |
| Common | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2,115,206 | |] | D | |
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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | /e Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any | | | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | n of | | 6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D | n Dat | e Amount of | | str. 3 | | | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ow For Dire or I (I) (| Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | Code V | | (A) | (D) | | | Expiration Date | Title | or | ount nber ires | | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Transaction effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

04/04/2008 By: Joseph M.Tocci / POA

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).
- ** 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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