FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  HANLEY PETER				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  MKS INSTRUMENTS INC [ MKSI ]							. Relationsh Check all ap X Dire	plicable)	ng Person(s)	to Issuer % Owner	_		
(Last) 2 TECH	(Last) (First) (Middle) 2 TECH DRIVE				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/06/2015							Office belo	cer (give title w)		Other (specify below)		
(Street) ANDOV (City)			)1810 Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of 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						
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative S	ecurities Ac	quired,	Dis	osed o	of, o	r Ben	eficia	ally Own	ed			_
Date			action 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Disposed Of (E Code (Instr. 5)		es Acquired (A) o Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		nd Secu Bene	ficially ed Following	6. Ownersh Form: Direc (D) or Indire (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect ect Beneficial Ownership	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
						Code	v	Amount	nount (A) or (D)		Price	Trans	action(s) . 3 and 4)		(11150.4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock			03/06	5/2015		S <sup>(1)</sup>		325		D	\$34	34.98 4,848.548		D			
		Та				urities Acqu s, warrants,								I			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)		Date,	4. Transactic Code (Inst 8)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		str. 3	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owners Form: Direct (I or Indire (I) (Instr	Beneficial Ownershi ect (Instr. 4)	t Il		

## Explanation of Responses:

1. This transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan previously adopted by the reporting person.

/s/Renee M. Donlan POA 03/08/2015

Amount or Number

of Shares

Title

Expiration

Date

Date Exercisable

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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