FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  BERTUCCI CLAIRE R							2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  MKS INSTRUMENTS INC [ MKSI ]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     Director X 10% Owner					
(Last) 90 INDU	st) (First) (Middle) INDUSTRIAL WAY						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/30/2005									Officer (give title Other (specify below)					
(Street) WILMINGTON MA 01887 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)      X 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. Transaction Date (Month/Day)							Execution Date,			3. Transa Code ( 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a 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	
										Code	v	Amount	(A) c (D)	Pric	е	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common	2005	)05			G	v	133,334	D	\$	0	4,411,580			I	By Spouse						
Common															4,54		46,784		D		
Common																2,355		I		By Limited Partnership	
	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)					4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		3	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 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)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares									

**Explanation of Responses:** 

By: Joseph M.Tocci / POA

12/15/2005

\*\* 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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