## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  BERTUCCI JOHN R						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MKS INSTRUMENTS INC [ MKSI ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director X 10% Owner				
(Last) SIX SHA	(Fii	,	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/23/2004								X Officer (give titl below) Presid			Othe belov	r (specify v)
(Street)	ER M.	Α (	)181024	4. 11	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					
(City)	(St	ate) (	Zip)											Person				
		Tabl	e I - N	on-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Ac	quire	d, Di	sposed o	f, or E	Benefici	ally Owr	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a 5)			nnd Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)			
Common			01/23/2004			S <sup>(1)</sup>		85,714	D	\$26.2	25 4,3	52,386	86 D					
Common 01		01/23/	2004				S		85,714	D	\$26.2	5 4,550,784			I	By Spouse		
Common													4	4,710			By Limited Partnership	
Common												372,180			I	By Trust		
		Та	ble II -								osed of, convertib				l			
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year) if any	on Date,		Transaction Code (Instr.				e Exerc tion Da h/Day/\		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Own For Dire or I (I) (I	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Stock Dispositions pursuant to Publically announced Stock Offering.

By: Joseph M.Tocci / POA 01/23/2004

\*\* 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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