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*  Lee John Tseng-Chung  (Last) (First) (Middle)  2 TECH DRIVE						Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MKS INSTRUMENTS INC [ MKSI ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/04/2010							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  X Officer (give title Other (specif below)  Group VP, CIT Products				vner	
(Street) ANDOV (City)			01810 (Zip)		4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Lin	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	/ative	Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Disp	osed (	of, or Be	neficia	lly Owne	d			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,		Code (I	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instance Code (Instr. 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)		
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	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		3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/Y	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly [	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	03/04/2010			A		6,250		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	6,250	\$0	22,292		D	
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	03/04/2010			A		8,750		(3)		(3)	Common Stock	8,750	\$0	17,766		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Each restricted stock unit represents the contingent right to receive one share of common stock of MKS Instruments, Inc.
- 2. The RSUs vest in equal annual installments over three years.
- 3. These RSUs are subject to the achievement of performance criteria determined in the first year of the grant and thereafter vests in equal annual installments over three years.

/s/Renee M. Donlan POA 03/08/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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