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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT (OF CHANGES IN	I BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Gitin Mark Milton					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MKS INSTRUMENTS INC [MKSI]						(Chec	ationship of k all applical Director Officer (c	ble)	g Persoi	n(s) to Issue 10% Ow Other (s	ner		
	`	First) MENTS, INC. JITE 201	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/21/2022				X	below) "	,	L&M	below) Division	,				
(Street) ANDOV (City)		IA State)	01810 (Zip)								6. Indi Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
		Т	able I - Non	-Deriva	tive S	ecuritie	s Acc	quired, C	Disp	osed o	of, or E	Bene	ficially (Owned				
Date			2. Transac Date (Month/Da	Execution Date,		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr.		rities Acquired (A) or ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar		A) or 8, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Foll Reported		Form: (D) or		'. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership Instr. 4)			
					Code V Amount (A) or (D)			Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)									
	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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	Code	5. Number Derivative Securities Acquired (or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3 and 5)		A) ed of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Securities Under Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)		derlying curity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numb derivativ Securitie Benefici Owned Followin Reporter Transaci	ve es ally ng d	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership tt (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Nu	nount or imber of ares		(Instr. 4)			
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	01/21/2022		A		3,310.105		(2)		(2)	Commo Stock		310.105	(1)	8,559.	.574	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- $1.\ Each\ restricted\ stock\ unit\ (RSU)\ represents\ the\ contingent\ right\ to\ receive\ one\ share\ of\ common\ stock\ of\ MKS\ Instruments,\ Inc.$
- 2. These RSUs were subject to performance criteria, achievement of which was determined on January 21, 2022 and thereafter vest in three equal annual installments beginning on February 15, 2022, provided that if, in any vesting year, February 15th is not a business day, such vesting shall occur on the next business day.

/s/ M. Kathryn Rickards, 01/24/2022 attorney-in-fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

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