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 JOHN R						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> 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) (First) (Middle) 90 INDUSTRIAL WAY						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2006									X Officer (give title below)  Executive Chairman						
(Street) WILMIN (City)	MINGTON MA 01887  (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 01/05/2006									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
		Tá	able I - N	on-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	d, Di	sposed o	f, or B	enefic	ially	Owne	ed					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day				Execution Date,						rities Acquired (A) or ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			and Securities Beneficially Owned Following			nership : Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
								Code	v	Amount	(A) oi (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)			
Common														4,54	6,784		I	By Spouse			
Common 01/03/20				2006	006			S		471	D	\$17	.5	4,411,109		D					
Common															2,355		I		By Limited Partnership		
			Table II								osed of, convertib				wned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	erivative Conversion Date ecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			on Date,	4. Transa Code (i 8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Page 1			7. Title Amoun Securit Underly Derivat Securit and 4)	t of ies /ing	nt		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)		

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

By: Joseph M.Tocci / POA 01/05/2006

\*\* 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).
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