FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address KAHL HANS	s of Reporting Person [*] JOCHEN		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>MKS INSTRUMENTS INC</u> [MKSI]		tionship of Reporting Person all applicable) Director	n(s) to Issuer 10% Owner
(Last) 90 INDUSTRIAL	(First) WAY	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/14/2007		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)
(Street) WILMINGTON (City)	MA (State)	01887 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Filing (C Form filed by One Reporti Form filed by More than C Person	ing Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (8)		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		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)	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150. 4)
Common	05/14/2007		М		12,000	Α	\$24.35	14,987	D	
Common	05/14/2007		S		7,500	D	\$27.18	7,487	D	
Common	05/14/2007		S		4,200	D	\$27.15	3,287	D	
Common	05/14/2007		S		200	D	\$27.17	3,087	D	
Common	05/14/2007		S		100	D	\$27.16	2,987	D	

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 Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		of Expiration Date of Secu Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Underly Securities Derivati		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy) 2006	\$24.35 ⁽¹⁾	05/14/2007		М			12,000	05/06/2007 ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	05/08/2016 ⁽⁴⁾	Common	12,000	\$0	0.00	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Option conversion price is \$24.35 per share for option transactions reported on this filing.

2. Option vests in full on the earlier of (i) the day before the subsequent year's annual meeting of shareholders or (ii) thirteen months from the date of grant.

3. Stock Option Grants include multiple vest dates.

4. Expires 10 years after date of grant

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** Signature of Reporting Person

05/15/2007 Date

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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