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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BAGSHAW SETH H				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MKS INSTRUMENTS INC [MKSI]						tionship of Reporting all applicable) Director Officer (give title	10% (
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MKS INSTRUMENTS, INC. 2 TECH DRIVE, SUITE 201				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2022						below) below) Sr. VP, CFO & Treasurer			
(Street) ANDOVER (City)	MA (State)	01810 (Zip)	4. If Ai	mendment, Date of	Original	Filed	(Month/Day/Yea	ar)	6. Indiv Line) X	ridual or Joint/Group Form filed by One Form filed by More	Reporting Perso	on .	
		Table I - No	n-Derivative	Securities Acq	uired	, Dis	posed of, o	r Bene	ficially C	Owned			
Dat		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date,		ction Instr.	4. Securities A Disposed Of (D			5. Amount of 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 Stock			02/15/2022		М		2,940.722	A	(1)	24,932.844	D		
Common Stock	•		02/15/2022		М		2.642.821	A	(1)	27,575,665	D		

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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)		Deri Seci Acq or D	umber of vative urities uired (A) isposed of lnstr. 3, 4 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		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)	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		(Instr. 4)		
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	02/15/2022		M			2,940.722	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	2,940.722	(1)	35,267.877	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	02/15/2022		M			2,642.821	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	2,642.821	(1)	32,625.056	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	02/15/2022		M			3,837	(5)	(5)	Common Stock	3,837	(1)	28,788.056	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	02/15/2022		M			2,180	(6)	(6)	Common Stock	2,180	(1)	26,608.056	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	02/15/2022		М			3,885	(7)	(7)	Common Stock	3,885	(1)	22,723.056	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	02/15/2022		М			1,525	(8)	(8)	Common Stock	1,525	(1)	21,198.056	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.

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- $2. This transaction \ was \ effected \ pursuant \ to \ a \ Rule \ 10b5-1 \ trading \ plan \ previously \ adopted \ by \ the \ reporting \ person.$
- 3. These RSUs were subject to performance criteria, the achievement of which was determined on January 27, 2020, and thereafter vest in three equal annual installments beginning on February 15, 2020, provided that if, in any vesting year, February 15th is not a business day, such vesting shall occur on the next business day.
- 4. These RSUs vest in three equal annual installments commencing on February 15, 2020, provided that if, in any vesting year, February 15th is not a business day, such vesting shall occur on the next business day.
- 5. These RSUs were subject to performance criteria, the achievement of which was determined on January 25, 2021, and thereafter vest in three equal annual installments beginning on February 15, 2021, provided that if, in any vesting year, February 15th is not a business day, such vesting shall occur on the next business day.
- 6. These RSUs vest in three equal annual installments commencing on February 15, 2021, provided that if, in any vesting year, February 15th is not a business day, such vesting shall occur on the next business day.
- 7. These RSUs were subject to performance criteria, the 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.
- 8. These RSUs vest in three equal annual installments commencing 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, attorney-in-fact

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** Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- ** 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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