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(Print or Type I	Responses)										
HERMANCE FRANK S Symbol			Is				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Lost)	(First)	Middle)	AMETEK INC/ [AME]				(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of (Month/D) 1100 CASSATT ROAD, P.O. BOX 12/02/20 1764				010				_X Director 10% Owner Other (specify below) CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD & CEO			
(Street) 4. If Amer				endment, Date Original 6.				. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
BERWYN,	PA 19312-1177		Filed(Mon	th/Day/Year	r)		-	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Or Form filed by Mo Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative S	Secur	ities Acqui	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			3. 4. Securities Acquired (A Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership In Form: Be Direct (D) O	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	12/02/2010			M	48,995	A		981,685	D		
Common Stock	12/02/2010			S	48,995	D	\$ 61.2446 (2)	5 932,690	D		

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

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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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 17.45	12/02/2010		M	48,995	<u>(1)</u>	05/17/2011	Common Stock	48,995
Stock Option	\$ 20.27					(3)	09/21/2011	Common Stock	84,127
Stock Option	\$ 25.2867					<u>(4)</u>	04/26/2012	Common Stock	130,575
Stock Option	\$ 33.2667					(5)	04/25/2013	Common Stock	126,615
Stock Option	\$ 36.44					<u>(6)</u>	04/23/2014	Common Stock	127,550
Stock Option	\$ 48.6					<u>(7)</u>	04/22/2015	Common Stock	129,490
Stock Option	\$ 32.71					(8)	04/22/2016	Common Stock	200,650
Stock Option	\$ 44.07					<u>(9)</u>	04/28/2017	Common Stock	149,240

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HERMANCE FRANK S						
1100 CASSATT ROAD	X		CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD & CEO			
P.O. BOX 1764	Λ		CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD & CEO			
BERWYN, PA 19312-1177						

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/s/ Frank S. Hermance 12/02/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on May 18, 2005.
- (2) The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$61.00 to \$61.87 per share. Upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or any security holder of the issuer, the reporting person will provide information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on September 22, 2005.
- (4) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on April 27, 2006.
- (5) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on April 26, 2007.
- (6) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on April 24, 2008.
- (7) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on April 23, 2009.
- (8) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 23, 2010.
- (9) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 29, 2011.

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