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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION								- .T	APPROVAL		
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obligation may cont <i>See</i> Instru 1(b).	inue. Section 17	Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940									
(Print or Type F	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> SERDYNSKI RAYMOND G			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BADGER METER INC [BMI]				C	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				(Check all applicable)				
				(Month/Day/Year) 05/07/2010				Director 10% Owner X_Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP-Manufacturing			
				If Amendment, Date Original led(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year) Execution any	on Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed	l (A) o l of (D 4 and (A))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Indirect Beneficial	
G				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		D	
Common Stock	05/07/2010			A <u>(1)</u>	600	А	<u>(2)</u>	2,100	Ι	Restricted Stock	
Common Stock								3,064.4916	Ι	ESSOP	
Common Stock								10,500	D		

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities 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)		8. D S (I
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options	\$ 38.41	05/07/2010		A <u>(3)</u>	1,200	05/07/2011	05/07/2020	BMI Common Stock	1,200	
Stock Options	\$ 52.81					05/02/2009	05/02/2018	BMI Common Stock	4,500	
Stock Options	\$ 38.69					05/01/2010	05/01/2019	BMI Common Stock	3,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SERDYNSKI RAYMOND G 4545 W. BROWN DEER ROAD MILWAUKEE, WI 53223			VP-Manufacturing				
Signatures							

Raymond G. 05/11/2010 Serdynski Date **Signature of Reporting Person

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) Restricted Stock granted pursuant to the Company's Restricted Stock Plan as approved by shareholders.
- (2) The value of the award will be determined at the closing price on May 7, 2013, the date of vesting.

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- (3) Stock options granted pursuant to the Company's 2003 Stock Option Plan approved by shareholders.
- (4) Stock Options are granted on a one-for-one basis.

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