

BADGER METER INC
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MEEUSEN RICHARD A

(Last) (First) (Middle)
4545 W BROWN DEER ROAD, P.O. BOX 245036
(Street)

MILWAUKEE, WI 53224-9536

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BADGER METER INC [BMI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/01/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chairman, President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Common Stock	03/01/2016		J ⁽¹⁾	A	7,150	66.71	D
						⁽²⁾	
Common Stock	03/01/2016		J ⁽¹⁾	D	7,150	13,040	I
Common Stock						4,139.9872	I
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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. Price or Amount of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 38.69					05/01/2010	05/01/2019	BMI Common Stock	9,000
Stock Options	\$ 52.81					05/02/2009	05/02/2018	BMI Common Stock	4,800
Stock Options	\$ 38.41					05/07/2011	05/07/2020	BMI Common Stock	10,200
Stock Options	\$ 36.59					05/06/2012	05/06/2021	BMI Common Stock	13,300
Stock Options	\$ 36.15					05/04/2013	05/04/2022	BMI Common Stock	18,800
Stock Options	\$ 51.29					03/01/2014	03/01/2023	BMI Common Stock	11,367
Stock Options	\$ 54.36					03/07/2015	03/07/2024	BMI Common Stock	11,812
Stock Options	\$ 56.66					03/06/2016	03/06/2025	BMI Common Stock	12,088

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MEEUSEN RICHARD A 4545 W BROWN DEER ROAD P.O. BOX 245036 MILWAUKEE, WI 53224-9536	X		Chairman, President & CEO	

Signatures

Richard A.
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03/03/2016

**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) Restricted Stock granted 3/1/2013, pursuant to the Company's 2011 Omnibus Incentive Plan approved by shareholders 4/29/2011, vested after a three-year holding period. The shares vested at the closing price on 3/1/2016 and were transferred to direct ownership.
 - (2) Price of Badger Meter, Inc. Common Stock on 3/1/2016, the date of vesting, was \$66.71/share.

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