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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading TESKE TODD J Issuer Symbol BADGER METER INC [BMI] (Check all applicable) (Middle) (Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify 4545 W. BROWN DEER ROAD 04/30/2018 below) (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

MILWAUKEE, WI 53223

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 04/30/2018 $A^{(1)}$ 1,261 16,984 D Stock

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)

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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. Transac Code (Instr. 8	5. tionNumber of) Derivat Securiti Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3 4, and 5	5		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (E) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 19.205					05/07/2011	05/07/2020	BMI Common Stock	12,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

TESKE TODD J 4545 W. BROWN DEER ROAD X MILWAUKEE, WI 53223

Signatures

/s/ William R.A. Bergum, Attorney-in-Fact for Todd J. Teske

Date

05/01/2018

Explanation of Responses:

**Signature of Reporting Person

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Shares granted pursuant to the 2011 Omnibus Incentive Plan as approved by shareholders on April 29, 2011 and re-approved on April 29, 2016. Non-employee directors are given an annual grant of Badger Meter Common Stock on the first business day following the

Company's annual meeting. This year's grant is equal to \$54,000 as rounded down to the nearest whole share based on a 10-day average closing price of the Company's Common stock.

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