### SERDYNSKI RAYMOND G

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## FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Adda SERDYNSKI	•	_	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			BADGER METER INC [BMI]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
4545 W. BROWN DEER ROAD			05/01/2009	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
				VP-Manufacturing		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
MILWAUKE	E, WI 53223	;		_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owne		

(City)	(State) (A	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securi		or.	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	(Mondin Buy, 1 cur)	any	f TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					(A) or		Reported Transaction(s)	(IIISU: 4)	(msu. +)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/01/2009		A(1)	1,000	A	<u>(2)</u>	2,400	I	Restricted Stock
Common Stock							2,976.9813	I	ESSOP
Common Stock							11,188	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 38.69	05/01/2009		A(3)	3,000	05/01/2010	05/01/2019	BMI Common Stock	3,000
Stock Options	\$ 52.81					05/02/2009	05/02/2018	BMI Common Stock	4,500

## **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.

Serdynski 05/05/2009

\*\*Signature of Date

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 Plans as approved by shareholders.
- (2) The value of the award will be determined at the closing price on May 1, 2012, the date of vesting.
- (3) Non-qualified stock option granted pursuant to the Company's 1999 and 2003 Stock Option Plans approved by shareholders. Option vests at a rate of 20 percent/year and expires 10 years from the date of grant.
- (4) Stock Options are granted on a one-for-one basis.

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