ZANDRON DANIEL D

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ZANDRON DANIEL D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

BADGER METER INC [BMI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(First)

(Middle)

(Zin)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director

10% Owner Other (specify

4545 W. BROWN DEER

(Month/Day/Year)

05/05/2009

below) VP-Business Development

ROAD, P.O. BOX 245036

(Street)

(State)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X_ Officer (give title

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

MILWAUKEE, WI 53224-9536

(City)	(State)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owne								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi or(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	05/05/2009		J <u>(1)</u>	4,000	A	\$ 38.84	11,086.4858	D		
Common Stock	05/05/2009		<u>J(1)</u>	4,000	D	(1)	0	I	Restricted Stock	
Common Stock							1,156.0168	I	ESSOP	

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Dr.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. Prio Deriv Secur (Instr.
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options	\$ 18.325					05/09/2006	05/09/2015	BMI Common Stock	3,600	
Stock Options	\$ 31.41					05/05/2007	05/05/2016	BMI Common Stock	2,400	
Stock Options	\$ 24.94					05/04/2008	05/04/2017	BMI Common Stock	2,400	
Stock Options	\$ 7					05/02/2006	05/02/2013	BMI Common Stock	7,200	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ZANDRON DANIEL D 4545 W. BROWN DEER ROAD P.O. BOX 245036 MILWAUKEE, WI 53224-9536

VP-Business Development

Signatures

Daniel D. 2andron 05/07/2009

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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- * 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) Shares granted 5/5/06 pursuant to the 2005 Restricted Stock Plan as approved by shareholders vested at the closing price of \$38.84 on 5/5/09 and were transferred to direct ownership.

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