Christopher Gregory L. Form 4 October 24, 2012

FORM 4

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

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See Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Christopher Gregory L.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

MUELLER INDUSTRIES INC

[MLI]

(Middle) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

> (Month/Day/Year) 10/22/2012

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(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

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Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Chief Executive Officer

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

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

MEMPHIS, TN 38125

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	-Derivative	Securi	ties Acquir	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition of Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	d of (I and 5) (A) or))	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	10/22/2012		Code V M	Amount 8,283	(D)	Price \$ 16.615	166,329	D	
Common Stock	10/22/2012		M	11,168	A	\$ 16.615	177,497	D	
Common Stock	10/22/2012		M	24,590	A	\$ 20.718	202,087	D	
Common Stock	10/22/2012		M	16,797	A	\$ 31.22	218,884	D	
Common Stock	10/22/2012		M	45,000	A	\$ 28.04	263,884	D	

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Common Stock	10/22/2012	M	27,147	A	\$ 35.05	291,031	D	
Common Stock	10/22/2012	M	32,291	A	\$ 36.91	323,322	D	
Common Stock	10/22/2012	M	48,000	A	\$ 26.485	371,322	D	
Common Stock	10/22/2012	M	14,702	A	\$ 23.825	386,024	D	
Common Stock	10/22/2012	M				398,024	D	
Common Stock	10/22/2012	F	168,774	D	\$ 50.915	229,250	D	
Common Stock						3,400	I	See footnote (11)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration I (Month/Day	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	
Employee Stock Option	\$ 16.615	10/22/2012		M	8,283	3 (1)	02/10/2013	Common Stock	8,283	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.615	10/22/2012		M	11,16	8 (2)	02/10/2013	Common Stock	11,168	
Employee Stock	\$ 20.718	10/22/2012		M	24,59	0 (3)	02/10/2014	Common Stock	24,590	

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Option (Right to Buy)								
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.22	10/22/2012	M	16,797	<u>(4)</u>	02/23/2015	Common Stock	16,797
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.04	10/22/2012	М	45,000	(5)	12/28/2015	Common Stock	45,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 35.05	10/22/2012	М	27,147	<u>(6)</u>	07/28/2016	Common Stock	27,147
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 36.91	10/22/2012	M	32,291	<u>(7)</u>	07/27/2017	Common Stock	32,291
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 26.485	10/22/2012	M	48,000	<u>(8)</u>	07/28/2018	Common Stock	48,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.825	10/22/2012	M	14,702	<u>(9)</u>	07/30/2019	Common Stock	14,702
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.48	10/22/2012	М	12,000	(10)	07/23/2020	Common Stock	12,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Christopher Gregory L.			Chief Executive Officer				
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MEMPHIS, TN 38125

Signatures

/s/ Anthony Steinriede, Attorney-in-Fact

10/24/2012

**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) 2,197 on 2/10/06; 2,196 on 2/10/07; 3,890 on 2/10/08
- (2) 3,890 on 2/10/04; 3,890 on 2/10/05; 1,693 on 2/10/06; 1,695 on 2/10/07
- (3) 6,224 on 2/10/05; 6,224 on 2/10/06; 6,225 on 2/10/07; 4,519 on 2/10/08; 1,398 on 2/10/09
- (4) 4,000 on 2/23/06; 4,000 on 2/23/07; 4,000 on 2/23/08; 4,000 on 2/23/09, 797 on 2/23/10
- (5) 9,000 on 12/28/06; 9,000 on 12/28/07; 9,000 on 12/28/08, 9,000 on 12/29/09; 9,000 on 12/28/10
- (6) 6,000 on 7/28/07; 6,000 on 7/28/08; 6,000 on 7/28/09; 6,000 on 7/28/10; 3,147 on 7/28/11
- (7) 7,000 on 7/27/08; 7,000 on 7/27/09; 7,000 on 7/27/10; 7,000 on 7/27/11; 4,291 on 7/28/12
- (8) 12,000 on 7/25/09; 12,000 on 7/25/10; 12,000 on 7/25/11; 12,000 on 7/25/12
- (9) 4,932 on 7/30/10; 4,915 on 7/30/11; 4,855 on 7/30/12
- (10) 6,000 on 7/23/11; 6,000 on 7/23/12
- (11) Shares held by Mr. Christopher's children

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