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Form 4

November 30, 2007

### FORM 4

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

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 Address of Reporting Person * MEEUSEN RICHARD A	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BADGER METER INC [BMI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
4545 W BROWN DEER	(Month/Day/Year) 11/30/2007	X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give titleX Other (specify below) Chairman, President & CEO / Co-truster Officers Voting Tr		
ROAD, P.O. BOX 245036				
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
MILWAUKEE, WI 53224-9536	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or		5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	11/30/2007		M	10,000	A	\$ 7.125	117,064	D		
Common Stock	11/30/2007		S	10,000	D	\$ 39.6145	107,064	D		
Common Stock							3,319.3634	I	ESSOP	
Common Stock							10,900	I	Restricted 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)

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)	orDeriv Secu Acqu or Di (D)	urities uired (A) risposed of er. 3, 4,	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	\$ 7.125	11/30/2007		M		10,000	05/18/2002	05/18/2011	BMI Common Stock	10,000
Stock Options	\$ 5.7475						01/29/2003	01/29/2012	BMI Common Stock	40,000
Stock Options	\$ 7						05/02/2004	05/02/2013	BMI Common Stock	34,000
Stock Options	\$ 7						05/02/2004	05/02/2013	BMI Common Stock	12,800
Stock Options	\$ 18.325						05/09/2006	05/09/2015	BMI Common Stock	6,600
Stock Options	\$ 31.41						05/05/2007	05/05/2016	BMI Common Stock	5,400
Stock Options	\$ 24.94						05/04/2008	05/04/2017	BMI Common Stock	6,300

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address				Relationships	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer		Other

X

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MEEUSEN RICHARD A 4545 W BROWN DEER ROAD P.O. BOX 245036 MILWAUKEE, WI 53224-9536 Chairman, President & Co-trustee, Officers Voting CEO Tr

### **Signatures**

Richard A. Meeusen 11/30/2007

\*\*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) Stock Options are granted on a one-for-one basis.

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