BADGER METER INC

Form 4

March 11, 2014

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SERDYNSKI RAYMOND G			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			BADGER METER INC [BMI]				J	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) 4545 W. BR	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of (Month/D 03/07/20	ay/Yea					Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP-Manufacturing		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
MILWAUKEE, WI 53223									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - No	n-D	erivative (Secur	ities Ac	equired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	r) Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr.		4. SecuritonAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) 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	03/07/2014			A	•	662	A	<u>(1)</u>	2,812	I	Restricted Stock
Common Stock									10,645.2468	I	ESSOP

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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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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	\$ 54.36	03/07/2014		A	1,208	03/07/2015	03/07/2024	BMI Common Stock	1,208
Stock Options	\$ 52.81					05/02/2009	05/02/2018	BMI Common Stock	4,500
Stock Options	\$ 38.69					05/01/2010	05/01/2019	BMI Common Stock	3,000
Stock Options	\$ 38.41					05/07/2011	05/07/2020	BMI Common Stock	1,200
Stock Options	\$ 36.59					05/06/2012	05/06/2021	BMI Common Stock	1,200
Stock Options	\$ 36.15					05/04/2013	05/04/2022	BMI Common Stock	1,600
Stock Options	\$ 51.29					03/01/2014	03/01/2023	BMI Common Stock	1,181

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

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Raymond G.

Serdynski 03/11/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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) The value of the award will be determined at the closing price on March 7, 2017, the date of vesting.
- (2) Stock Options are granted on a one-for-one basis.

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