FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES I	N BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Krause Kenneth D.</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MSA Safety Inc [MSA]									Check	all app	nship of Reporting I applicable) Director Officer (give title		Person(s) to Issue 10% Own Other (sp				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1000 CRANBERRY WOODS DRIVE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/31/2018										X	belov		O and T	below)	`		
(Street) CRANBI WOODS TOWNSI (City)	PA HIP		16066 Zip)		4. If	Amer	ndment	, Date o	of Origina	ıl Filed	l (Month/Da	ay/Year)		Indiv ne) X	Form	r Joint/Group n filed by One n filed by Mor on	e Reportir	ng Pers	on
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriva	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	eficia	ally (Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Date				Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 9)			(A) or 3, 4 an	d 5)	Securities Beneficially		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
									Code	v	Amount	(A)	or	Price		Transa	action(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, no par value 08/31/2				2018		F		627	D \$1		\$101	.09	09 20,293		D					
	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. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	n Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		e	e and 7. Title ar Amount of Securitie Underlyin Derivative Security (and 4)					9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	n: ct (D) direct	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	or Nu of	ount mber ares						

Explanation of Responses:

Douglas K. McClaine, **Attorney in Fact**

09/05/2018

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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