FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Leenen Bob Willem	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>MSA Safety Inc</u> [MSA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1000 CRANBERRY WOODS DRIVE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2019	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Vice President					
(Street) CRANBERRY WOODS PA 16066 TOWNSHIP	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person 					
(City) (State) (Zip)	rivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benef						

4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 6. Ownership Form: Direct 7. Nature 5. Amount of 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 3. Transaction of Indirect Execution Date, Securities Date (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) Beneficially (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Code (Instr. **Beneficial** 8) Owned Following Ownership (Instr. 4) Reported (A) or (D) Transaction(s) Code v Amount Price (Instr. 3 and 4) Common Stock, no par value 02/25/2019 \$0.0000 3,934 834 D Α A

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transa Code (8)		5. Number of Derivative Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

Douglas K. McClaine, Attorney in Fact

02/27/2019

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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