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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LAMBERT WILLIAM M</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MSA Safety Inc [MSA]								all app		g Person	10% C	wner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1000 CRANBERRY WOODS DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/28/2018								belov	,	X Other (specify below) ve Chairman			
(Street) CRANBERRY WOODS PA 16066 TOWNSHIP (City) (State) (Zip)			4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Indiv Line) X									
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transactio Date (Month/Day/Y			Year)	Execution Date,		e, 1	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		Beneficially		rities ficially ed Following	6. Owne Form: D (D) or In (I) (Instr	irect direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Trans	ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, no par value 11/28/2018			18	s 10,137 D \$105		\$105.	9657(1)	557 ⁽¹⁾ 42,147		D									
Common Stock, no par value												60,60		60,600	I		By Wife		
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Share price on this transaction ranged from \$105.91 to \$106.19.

<u>Douglas K. McClaine</u>, <u>Attorney in Fact</u>

12/03/2018

** 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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