FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PEARSE DIANE M					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  MSA Safety Inc [ MSA ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
PEARSE DIANE IVI															X	Direc	tor	10%	Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1000 CRANBERRY WOODS DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/22/2019										Officer (give title below)		Othe belov	(specify y)
(Street) CRANBERRY WOODS PA 16066 TOWNSHIP				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Indivi ne) X	,					
(City)	(S	tate) (	Zip)																
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriva	ative	Sec	uritie	s Acc	quired,	, Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	eficia	ally (	Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day					Execution D			3. Transa Code ( 8)					d 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A)	or	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		ection(s)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, no par value 05/22/2					2019		A		1,235 A \$		\$0.00	000	0 26,939		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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date E Expiratio (Month/I	on Dat			int of rities rlying ative rity (Ir	str. 3	Deriv	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number or derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	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

05/23/2019

\*\* 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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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