FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Krause Kenneth D.						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  MSA Safety Inc [ MSA ]									Check all ap		g Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner Other (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1000 CRANBERRY WOODS DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/06/2018									A bel	ow) `	below O and Treasu	)
(Street) CRANB WOODS TOWNS (City)	HIP		16066 (Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								ine) X Foi Foi	,			
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D			/Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3,			nd Secu Bene Own	nount of rities ficially ed Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		orted saction(s) c. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock, no par value 11/				11/06	1/06/2018				S		1,572		D	\$1	07	7 18,721		
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Derivative Conversion Date		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of 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)

**Explanation of Responses:** 

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

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

11/06/2018

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