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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Addr <u>Jordan Greg</u>		R (N	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2019 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MSA Safety Inc [MSA]								
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1000 CRANBERRY WOODS DRIVE					Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
(Street) CRANBERRY WOODS	PA	16066				Officer (give title below)	Other (spe below)	, 1,	applicable Line) $f X$ Form filed b	t/Group Filing (Check	
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Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned.

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

03/01/2019

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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