FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MCCLAINE DOUGLAS K						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  MSA Safety Inc [ MSA ]									Check al	II applio	cable)	10%	Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner  Other (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1000 CRANBERRY WOODS DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/09/2016										below)			1)	
(Street) CRANBERRY WOODS PA 16066 TOWNSHIP  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 08/11/2016										S. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tabl	e I - Non-	-Deriva	ative	Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	sposed o	of, o	r Ben	efici	ally O	wned	k			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transar Date (Month/Date)					Day/Year) if		A. Deemed Execution Date, fany Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)			ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			nd S B O	. Amou Securitie Senefici Owned F Reporte	es ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							Code	١v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	,  т	ransaci Instr. 3	tion(s)		(5 4)			
Common	)/2016				F		1,021		D	\$56.12		33,170		D						
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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)	Date, 1	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			8. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. §	tive de ty Se 5) Be Ov Fo Re	D. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Dwned Following Reported Fransaction(s Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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**Explanation of Responses:** 

Douglas K. McClaine

08/11/2016

\*\* 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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