## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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<b>STATEMENT</b>	<b>OF CHANGES</b>	IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Lee John Tseng-Chung</u>					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  MKS INSTRUMENTS INC [ MKSI ]									all app	olicable) ctor	g Person(s) to Is	Owner	
						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/13/2017								X	belov			(specify
(Street) ANDOVER MA 01810					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Indiv Line) X	ridual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
(City)	(St		Zip)												_			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye				Execution Date,		ite,	3. Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar Code (Instr. 8)			d 5) Secur Bene		ficially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 11/13/201				017			ĺ	S		2,113	D	\$104.0	.015 <sup>(1)</sup> 0.772		0.772	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)	rivative Conversion Date Execution Date, curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		4. Transa Code ( 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)				9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Number of Shares					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$103.75 to \$104.05. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide, upon request, the full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

/s/ M. Kathryn Rickards, attorney-in-fact

11/14/2017

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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