ZANDRON DANIEL D

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Common

Common

Stock

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ZANDRON DANIEL D			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BADGER METER INC [BMI]					C	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
	(First) (ROWN DEER D. BOX 245036	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/30/2009					(Check all applicable) Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP-Business Development			
	(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person						
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - No	n-E	Derivative	Secu	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	ılly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Executio any	ned n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (Instr.		4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	04/30/2009			S(1)	•	2,855	D	\$ 40	6,448.4858	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2009			S(1)		145	D	\$ 39.25	6,303.4858	D	

1,156.0168

4,783

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

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Stock

Restricted

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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 4. 5. 6. Date Exercisable and Execution Date, if TransactionNumber Expiration Date any Code of (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		e	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 18.325					05/09/2006	05/09/2015	BMI Common Stock	3,600
Stock Options	\$ 31.41					05/05/2007	05/05/2016	BMI Common Stock	2,400
Stock Options	\$ 24.94					05/04/2008	05/04/2017	BMI Common Stock	2,400
Stock Options	\$ 7					05/02/2006	05/02/2013	BMI Common Stock	7,200

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
ZANDRON DANIEL D 4545 W. BROWN DEER ROAD P.O. BOX 245036 MILWAUKEE, WI 53224-9536			VP-Business Development					

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Signatures

Daniel D. O5/01/2009 Zandron

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) The sale of shares is consistent with Mr. Zandron's diversification plan for his impending retirement.

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