

SMILEY BEVERLY L P  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SMILEY BEVERLY L P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
BADGER METER INC [BMI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/12/2013

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
VP-Controller

4545 W. BROWN DEER ROAD, P.O. BOX 245036

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

MILWAUKEE, WI 53224-9536

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	03/12/2013		M	1,800 A \$ 31.41	73,100	D	
Common Stock	03/12/2013		M	1,440 A \$ 24.94	74,540	D	
Common Stock	03/12/2013		S	3,240 D \$ 51.3724	71,300	D	
Common Stock					6,199,4061	I	ESSOP
Common Stock					2,750	I	Restricted Stock

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Common Stock 630 I Family

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

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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 Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 31.41	03/12/2013		M	1,800	05/05/2007 05/05/2016	BMI Common Stock	1,800
Stock Options	\$ 24.94	03/12/2013		M	1,440	05/04/2008 05/04/2017	BMI Common Stock	1,440
Stock Options	\$ 52.81					05/02/2009 05/02/2018	BMI Common Stock	1,500
Stock Options	\$ 38.69					05/01/2010 05/01/2019	BMI Common Stock	3,000
Stock Options	\$ 38.41					05/07/2011 05/07/2020	BMI Common Stock	1,200
Stock Options	\$ 36.59					05/06/2012 05/06/2021	BMI Common Stock	1,200
Stock Options	\$ 36.15					05/04/2013 05/04/2022	BMI Common Stock	1,600
	\$ 51.29					03/01/2014 03/01/2023		1,181

Stock  
Options

BMI  
Common  
Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SMILEY BEVERLY L P 4545 W. BROWN DEER ROAD P.O. BOX 245036 MILWAUKEE, WI 53224-9536			VP-Controller	

## Signatures

Beverly L.  
Smiley

03/12/2013

\_\_Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## 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) Stock Options are granted on a one-for-one basis.

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