FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Roberts Rebecca B						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  MSA Safety Inc [ MSA ]											o of Reportin blicable)		) to Is:	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1000 CRANBERRY WOODS DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2015										Λ		er (give title	C		specify
(Street) CRANBERRY WOODS PA 16066 TOWNSHIP  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individ ne) X	Form	I or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable orm filed by One Reporting Person orm filed by More than One Reporting erson			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day						Ex r) if a	ecution ny	a. Deemed recution Date, any lonth/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		ies Acquired (A) o Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			and 5) Secur Benef Owne		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	ect rect )	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
										v	Amount	(	A) or D)	Price	1	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, no par value 05/15/					2015					V	2,195	A \$0		\$0.0	000	4,681		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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Executior if any (Month/Da	n Date,		ransaction code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		nstr. 3	8. Prio Deriva Secur (Instr.	vative ırity r. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction( (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(D) rect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	ıble	Expiration Date	Title	Nu of	mber ares						

Explanation of Responses:

Douglas K. McClaine, Attorney in Fact

05/18/2015

\*\* 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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