FORM 4

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## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  GARCIA TUNON ALVARO						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  MINE SAFETY APPLIANCES CO [ MSA ]										all app		ng Per	10% C	)wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1000 CRANBERRY WOODS DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/28/2013										Officer (give title below)			Other (specification)	
(Street) CRANBI WOODS TOWNS (City)	PA HIP		16066 (Zip)		4. If	Ame	endment	lment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tabl	le I - Noi	n-Deriv	/ative	Se	curitie	es Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	of, or	r Ben	eficia	ally C	) Wne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transc Date (Month/E						Execution Dat		n Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)						, 4 and S		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		wnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
							v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	. [-	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111511.4)			
Common Stock, no par value 10/2					8/2013	3			P		2,000	2,000 A		\$47	47.5 3,037		3,037		D	
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
1. Title of Derivative (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  (Instr. 3)  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)			Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Disp of (D (Instr	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Exercisable Date		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ount nber	t r				10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Douglas K. McClaine, Attorney in Fact

10/28/2013

\*\* 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).
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