

JOHNSON RICHARD E
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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 *
JOHNSON RICHARD E

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)
4545 W. BROWN DEER ROAD, P.O. BOX 245036
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/30/2018

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Sr. VP-Finance, Treas & CFO

MILWAUKEE, WI 53224-9536
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price \$
Common Stock	01/30/2018		A ⁽¹⁾		80.451	A	47.8 ⁽²⁾
Common Stock					104,456	D	

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. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 18.075					05/04/2013	05/04/2022	BMI Common Stock	6,000
Stock Options	\$ 18.295					05/06/2012	05/06/2021	BMI Common Stock	2,000
Stock Options	\$ 25.645					03/01/2014	03/01/2023	BMI Common Stock	3,780
Stock Options	\$ 27.18					03/07/2015	03/07/2024	BMI Common Stock	5,262
Stock Options	\$ 28.33					03/06/2016	03/06/2025	BMI Common Stock	6,498
Stock Options	\$ 33.975					03/04/2017	03/04/2026	BMI Common Stock	5,552
Stock Options	\$ 36.45					03/03/2018	03/03/2027	BMI Common Stock	5,215

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JOHNSON RICHARD E 4545 W. BROWN DEER ROAD P.O. BOX 245036			Sr. VP-Finance, Treas & CFO	

MILWAUKEE, WI 53224-9536

Signatures

Richard E.

Johnson

02/01/2018

__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) Represents shares of Badger Meter stock accumulated during 2017 and early 2018 in the participant's 401k component of the ESSOP, including contributions and 401K match.
- (2) Year end stock price for Badger Meter Common Stock used to calculate the Company's match.

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