

Jilla Rustom
Form 4
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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Jilla Rustom

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

MSC INDUSTRIAL DIRECT CO
INC [MSM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O MSC INDUSTRIAL DIRECT
CO., INC., 75 MAXESS ROAD

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/19/2018

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
EVP & Chief Financial Officer

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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Person

MELVILLE, NY US 11747

(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 Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	10/19/2018		M	1,307	A \$ 0 ⁽¹⁾ 14,661 ⁽²⁾	D	
Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	10/19/2018		M	97.4025	A \$ 0 ⁽³⁾ 14,758 ⁽²⁾	D	
	10/19/2018		F		D 14,281 ⁽²⁾	D	

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Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value					477.4025 (4)	\$	80.65	
Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	10/20/2018	M	1,036	A	\$ 0 (1)	15,317 (2)	D	
Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	10/20/2018	M	26.7593	A	\$ 0 (3)	15,343 (2)	D	
Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	10/20/2018	F	361.7593 (4)	D	\$ 80.65	14,982 (2)	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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units (RSU)	(1)	10/19/2018		M	1,307	(5) (5)	Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value 1,307
Restricted Stock Units (RSU)	(1)	10/20/2018		M	1,036	(6) (6)	Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 1,036

Dividend Equivalent Units (DEU)	(3)	10/19/2018	M	97.4025	(3)	(3)	par value Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	97.4025
Dividend Equivalent Units (DEU)	(3)	10/20/2018	M	26.7593	(3)	(3)	par value Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	26.7593

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Jilla Rustom C/O MSC INDUSTRIAL DIRECT CO., INC. 75 MAXESS ROAD MELVILLE, NY US 11747			EVP & Chief Financial Officer	

Signatures

/s/ Rustom Jilla 10/23/2018

__Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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(1) Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of Common Stock.

(2) Includes shares acquired under the company's Associate Stock Purchase Plan.

(3) The dividend equivalent units accrued with respect to outstanding awards of restricted stock units (RSUs) and vest at the same time(s) as the underlying RSUs. Each dividend equivalent unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Common Stock.

(4) Disposition of Class A Common Stock to the Issuer solely to cover tax withholding obligations arising from the vesting of RSUs and DEUs.

(5) 1,307 of 6,536 RSUs granted on October 19, 2015 vested on each of October 19, 2016, October 19, 2017, and October 19, 2018. 1,307 RSUs vest on October 19, 2019, and 1,308 RSUs vest on October 19, 2020, provided that the Reporting Person remains continuously employed by the Issuer through each applicable vesting date. The vested shares will be delivered to the Reporting Person upon vesting.

(6) 1,036 of 5,182 RSUs granted on October 20, 2017 vested October 20, 2018. 1,036 RSUs vest on each of October 20, 2019, and October 20, 2020, and 1,037 RSUs vest on each of October 20, 2021, and October 20, 2022, provided that the Reporting Person remains continuously employed by the Issuer through each applicable vesting date. The vested shares will be delivered to the Reporting Person upon vesting.

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