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(Print or Type	e Responses)										
MEEUSEN RICHARD A Sym			Symbol	•				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Lest)	(Middle)	BADGER METER INC [BMI]					(Check all applicable)				
(Mo				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/10/2009				X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chairman, President & CEO			
				Amendment, Date Original 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			
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		Yransaction Date 2A. Deemed onth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			4. Securit for Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed of		Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6.7. Nature ofOwnershipIndirectForm:BeneficialDirect (D)Ownershipor Indirect(Instr. 4)(I)(Instr. 4)		
~				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	09/10/2009			М	3,200	А	\$ 7	130,664	D		
Common Stock	09/10/2009			М	14,000	А	\$ 7	144,664	D		
Common Stock	09/10/2009			S	17,200	D	\$ 36.7327	127,464	D		
Common Stock								3,532.9345	Ι	ESSOP	
Common Stock								6,700	Ι	Restricted Stock	

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	orDeri Secu Acqu or D (D)	rities uired (A) isposed of r. 3, 4,	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	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 7	09/10/2009		М		14,000	05/02/2004	05/02/2013	BMI Common Stock	14,000
Stock Options	\$ 7	09/10/2009		М		3,200	05/02/2006	05/02/2013	BMI Common Stock	3,200
Stock Options	\$ 18.325						05/09/2006	05/09/2015	BMI Common Stock	6,600
Stock Options	\$ 31.41						05/05/2007	05/05/2016	BMI Common Stock	5,400
Stock Options	\$ 24.94						05/04/2008	05/04/2017	BMI Common Stock	6,300
Stock Options	\$ 52.81						05/02/2009	05/02/2018	BMI Common Stock	4,800
Stock Options	\$ 38.69						05/01/2010	05/01/2019	BMI Common Stock	9,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				

MEEUSEN RICHARD A 4545 W BROWN DEER ROAD P.O. BOX 245036 MILWAUKEE, WI 53224-9536

Signatures

Richard A. 09/11/2009 Meeusen

<u>\*\*</u>Signature of Reporting Person Date

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# **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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