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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Hardin John Wesley			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	AMETEK INC/ [AME] (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction					
(Eust)	(Tist)	(Middle)	(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
1100 CASSATT ROAD			08/24/2016	Officer (give titleOther (specify below) below) PRES ELECTRONIC INSTRUMENT		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
BERWYN, PA 19312-1177			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secui	ities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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)		sed of 4 and (A) or	Price	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/24/2016		S	2,775	D	\$ 49.6966 (1)	45,371	D	
401k Plan	08/24/2016		J(2)	2	A	\$ 0	495	I	401k Plan
Common Stock/serp							17,446	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivativ 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	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 19.5867					(3)	04/28/2017	Common Stock	35,725
Stock Option	\$ 29.8267					<u>(4)</u>	05/02/2018	Common Stock	25,965
Stock Option	\$ 34.0467					(5)	04/30/2019	Common Stock	29,955
Stock Option	\$ 41.74					<u>(6)</u>	05/07/2020	Common Stock	26,220
Stock Option	\$ 53.13					<u>(7)</u>	05/07/2021	Common Stock	19,650
Stock Option	\$ 52.27					(8)	05/05/2022	Common Stock	24,330
Stock Option	\$ 46.96					<u>(9)</u>	05/03/2023	Common Stock	30,750

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
<u>.</u>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Hardin John Wesley			PRES				
1100 CASSATT ROAD			ELECTRONIC				
BERWYN, PA 19312-1177			INSTRUMENTS				

Signatures

/s/ Joy D. Atwell, attorney-in-fact for Mr.
Hardin

08/25/2016

**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) The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$49.6800 to \$49.7050 per share. Upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or any security holder of the issuer, the reporting person will provide information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (2) Represents dividend reinvestment under the Company's 401(k) Plan.
- (3) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 29, 2011.
- (4) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on May 3, 2012.
- (5) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on May 1, 2013.
- (6) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on May 8, 2014.
- (7) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on May 8, 2015.
- (8) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on May 6, 2016.
- (9) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on May 4, 2017.

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