

ZANDRON DANIEL D
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FORM 4

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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 *
 ZANDRON DANIEL D

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)
 06/12/2009

____ Director
 ____ Officer (give title below) 10% Owner
 ____ Other (specify below)
 Retired Officer

MILWAUKEE, WI 53224-9536

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

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(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 (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	06/15/2009		J ⁽¹⁾		31.9832	A	2	1,188	I	ESSOP
Common Stock	06/17/2009		Z ⁽³⁾		1,188	D	2	0	I	ESSOP
Common Stock	06/17/2009		Z ⁽³⁾		1,188	A	2	9,774.4858	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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- (3) Upon retirement on 6/12/09, Mr. Zandron did an in-kind rollover of the shares from his 401(k) account into a self-directed IRA at Robert W. Baird & Co., Inc. where he intends to hold the shares. The shares retain their original stock bases.
- (4) Per the terms of the Badger Meter Stock Option Contract, all non-vested options expire upon retirement.
- (5) Stock Options are granted on a one-for-one basis.

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