Instruction 1(b).

## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  CHLEBEK ROBERT W |   |  |  |  |   |       | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMETEK INC/ [ AME ] |        |   |     |   |   |   |   | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director  Officer (give title Other (specify |                  |  |   |  |  |
|--|---|--|--|--|---|-------|---|--------|---|-----|---|---|---|---|---|------------------|--|---|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 37 NORTH VALLEY ROAD BUILDING 4    |   |  |  |  | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/26/2004 |       |   |        |   |     |   |   |   | PRES ELECTRONIC INSTRUMENTS                         |   |                  |  |   |  |  |
| (Street) PAOLI   | Pz  | A  | 19301-08                                       | _   4.1<br>_                               | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)    |       |   |        |   |     |   |   | Individual or Joint/Group Fil<br>Line)     X Form filed by One Re     Form filed by More the Person |   |   | Reporting Person |  |   |  |  |
| (City)   | (S  | tate)                                      | (Zip)  |  |   |       |   |        |   |     |   |   |   |   |   |                  |  |   |  |  |
|  |   | Tab  | le I - Noi                                     |  |   | _     |   |        | <del>-</del>  | Dis | _   |   |   | ly Owned  |   |                  |  |   |  |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)                            |   |  |  | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |   | ar)   | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year)     |        | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8)               |     | 4. Securities Acquired (<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. |   | ed (A) or<br>tr. 3, 4 and   | 5) Securition Benefici                              | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported   |                  | : Direct<br>Indirect<br>str. 4)  | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |  |
|  |   |  |  |  |   |       |   |        | Code  | v   | Amount  | (A) or<br>(D)   | Price   | Transac<br>(Instr. 3                                | tion(s)   |                  |  | (11341.4)   |  |  |
| Common Stock   |   |  |  | 04/26/2004                                 |   |       |   |        | M   |     | 15,000  | ) A   | \$9.96  | 38 40,  | 40,136(1)   |                  | D  |   |  |  |
| Common Stock   |   |  |  | 04/26/2004                                 |   |       |   |        | M   |     | 11,250  | ) A   | \$18.8  | 2 51,   | ,386(1)   |                  | D  |   |  |  |
| Common Stock   |   |  |  | 04/26/2004                                 |   |       |   |        | S   |     | 8,300   | D   | \$27  | 43,   | 43,086(1)   |                  | D  |   |  |  |
| Common Stock   |   |  |  | 04/26/2004                                 |   |       |   |        | S   |     | 3,100   | D   | \$27.0  | 5 39,   | 39,986(1)   |                  | D  |   |  |  |
| Common Stock   |   |  |  | 04/26/2004                                 |   |       |   |        | S   |     | 100   | 100 D   |   | 6 39,   | 39,886(1)   |                  | D  |   |  |  |
| Common Stock   |   |  |  | 04/26/2004                                 |   |       |   |        | S   |     | 6,700   | D   | \$27.0  | 7 33,   | 186(1)  |                  | D  |   |  |  |
| Common Stock   |   |  |  | 04/26/2004                                 |   |       |   |        | S   |     | 1,350   | D   | \$27.   | 1 31,   | 836(1)  |                  | D  |   |  |  |
| Common Stock   |   |  |  | 04/26/2004                                 |   |       |   |        | S   |     | 1,700   | D   | \$27.1  | 2 30,   | 136(1)  |                  | D  |   |  |  |
| Common Stock   |   |  |  | 04/26/2004                                 |   |       |   |        | S   |     | 5,000   | D   | \$27.2  | 5 25,   | 136(1)  |                  | D  |   |  |  |
| Common Stock/SERP  |   |  |  |  |   |       |   |        |   |     |   |   |   | 12,832.14   |   |                  | D  |   |  |  |
|  |   | -  | Table II -                                     |  |   |       |   |        |   |     |   | or Bene<br>ble secu   |   | Owned   |   |                  |  |   |  |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)        | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deeme<br>Execution<br>if any<br>(Month/Day | d<br>Date,                                 | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8)                                | ction | 5. Number of  |        | 6. Date Exerciss<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Yea |     | able and  | 7. Title and Amou<br>of Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Securi<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |   | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Numbe<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficia<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transacti<br>(Instr. 4)        | e<br>s<br>Illy   | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)                             |  |  |
|  |   |  |  |  | Code  | v     | (A)   |        | Date<br>Exercisal                                     |     | Expiration<br>Date                                  | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares  | ber   |   |                  |  |   |  |  |
| Stock<br>Option  | \$9.9688  | 04/26/2004                                 |  |  | M   |       |   | 15,000 | 04/13/200   | 01  | 04/12/2007  | Common<br>Stock   | 15,000  | \$9.9688  | 0(1)  |                  | D  |   |  |  |
| Stock<br>Option  | \$13.1425   |  |  |  |   |       |   |        | 05/22/200   | 02  | 05/21/2008  | Common<br>Stock   | 25,000  |   | 25,00   | 0                | D  |   |  |  |
| Stock<br>Option  | \$18.0625   |  |  |  |   |       |   |        | 05/20/20  | 04  | 05/19/2010  | Common<br>Stock   | 45,000  |   | 45,00   | 0                | D  |   |  |  |
| Stock<br>Option  | \$18.82   | 04/26/2004                                 |  |  | M   |       |   | 11,250 | 05/22/200   | 03  | 05/21/2009  | Common<br>Stock   | 11,250  | \$18.82   | 33,75   | 0                | D  |   |  |  |
| Explanatio   | n of Respons  | ses:                                       | •  |  |   |       |   | 1      | _   |     |   |   | •   | •   | •   |                  |  |   |  |  |

1. All balances in the "Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)" columns reflect a 2-for-1 stock split effective February 27, 2004.

Kathryn E. Londra

04/27/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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