FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MALONE JAMES R						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMETEK INC/ [ AME ]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle)  QORVAL LLC				•	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/01/2012									_	Officer	Officer (give title below)			specify	
2210 VA	NDERBIL	Γ BEACH RD.,	STE. 1200	5	4. 11	f Ame	endment,	Date	of Original	Filed	(Month/Da	ay/Yea	.)			Joint/Group	Filing	g (Check Ap	plicable	
(Street) NAPLES FL 34109							Line) X							Form f	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																	
		Tab	le I - Noi	า-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	cquired,	Dis	posed c	of, or	Bene	eficiall	y Owned	i l				
1. Title of	Security (Ins	tr. 3)		2. Transa Date (Month/I		ar)   i	2A. Deemo Execution if any (Month/Da	Date	Code (		4. Securi Disposed 5)					es ally Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct r Indirect   I istr. 4)   (	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(4	() or ()	Price	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock			05/01	L/2012	2			A <sup>(2)</sup>		890		A	\$51.0	7 5,	250		D		
Common	Stock															,135		I 1	By Wife	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr 8)		5. Number 0		Expiration	6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		xpiration ate	Title	O N O	umber						
Stock Option	\$51.07	05/01/2012			A		3,150		(1)	0	4/30/2019	Comn		3,150	\$0	3,150		D		
Stock Option	\$22.1778								(3)	0	4/25/2013	Comn		5,467		5,467		D		
Stock Option	\$24.2933								(4)	0	4/23/2014	Comn		5,360		6,360		D		
Stock Option	\$32.4								(5)	0	4/22/2015	Comn		5,445		5,445		D		
Stock Option	\$21.8067								(6)	0	4/22/2016	Comn		5,880		5,880		D		
Stock Option	\$29.38								(7)	0	4/28/2017	Comn		5,055		5,055		D		
Stock	\$44.74								(8)	0	5/02/2018	Comn	on -	2,700		2,700		D		

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on May 1, 2013.
- 2. Constitutes restricted stock issued under the 2007 Omnibus Incentive Plan.
- 3. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 26, 2007.
- $4. \ The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 24, 2008.$
- 5. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 23, 2009.
- 6. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 23, 2010.
- 7. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 29, 2011.
- 8. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on May 3, 2012.

/s/Kathryn E. Sena, attorneyin-fact for Mr. Malone

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

05/02/2012

Date

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

- \* 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).

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