FORM 4

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Instruction 1(b)

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MANDOS ROBERT R | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMETEK INC/ [AME] | | | | | | | | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director | | | | | | |
|--|---|---------------------------------|------------------|---|---|--|--|--|---|--------|---------------------------|--|---|---|--|--|---|-------------|---|
| | (Last) (First) (Middle) 1100 CASSATT ROAD P.O. BOX 1764 | | - 1 | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/15/2011 | | | | | | | | | X Officer (give title below) Other (specification below) SENIOR VP - COMPTROLLER | | | | | | |
| (Street) BERWY | | PA 19312-1177 | | | 4. 1 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicabl Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting | | | | 1 |
| (City) | (S | tate) | (Zip) | | | Person | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Date | | 2. Transac Date (Month/Da | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an | | | nd 5) Securiti Benefic | | es ially Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | Transac | action(s) 3 and 4) | | | (iiisti. 4) | |
| Common | Stock | | 11/15. | | 2011 | 011 | | | M | | 11,655 | A | \$16. | 8578 | 75 | 5,695 | | D | |
| Common | Common Stock 11/15/ | | 2011 |)11 | | | S | | 11,655 | D | \$42.1 | \$42.1438 ⁽²⁾ | | 54,040 | | D | | | |
| 401k Plan | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | 401k Plan | | | |
| Common Stock/serp | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9, | 9,871 | | D | | | |
| | | 1 | Table I | | | | | | | | posed of, | | | | wned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | Title of 2. 3. Transaction Date Execution Date, (Month/Day/Year) if any | | emed on Date, | 4. Transa | ransaction of ode (Instr. Derivative | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amou of Securities Underlying Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4) | | ount 8 | . Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4) | ly | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exerci | sable | Expiration Date | Title | Amo or Num of Shar | ber | | | | | |
| Stock Option | \$16.8578 | 11/15/2011 | | | M | | | 11,655 | (1 |) | 04/26/2012 | Common Stock | 11,6 | 555 | \$0 | 0 | | D | |
| Stock Option | \$22.1778 | | | | | | | | (3 |) | 04/25/2013 | Common Stock | 11,6 | 537 | | 11,637 | 7 | D | |
| Stock Option | \$24.2933 | | | | | | | | (4 |) | 04/23/2014 | Common Stock | 11,5 | 572 | | 11,572 | 2 | D | |
| Stock Option | \$32.4 | | | | | | | | (5 |) | 04/22/2015 | Common Stock | 14,1 | 194 | | 14,194 | 4 | D | |
| Stock Option | \$21.8067 | | | | | | | | (6 |) | 04/22/2016 | Common Stock | 27,0 |)27 | | 27,027 | 7 | D | |
| Stock Option | \$44.74 | | | | | | | | (7 |) | 05/02/2018 | Common Stock | 10,1 | 100 | | 10,100 |) | D | |
| Stock Option | \$29.38 | | | | | | | | (8 |) | 04/28/2017 | Common | 19,3 | 886 | | 19,386 | 5 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on April 27, 2006.
- 2. The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$42.09 to \$42.23 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.
- 3. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on April 26, 2007.
- 4. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on April 24, 2008.
- 5. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal 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 installments beginning on May 3, 2012.
- 8. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 29, 2011.

/s/ Robert R. Mandos

11/15/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR SECTION 16 REPORTING OBLIGATIONS

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby makes, constitutes and appoints each of Kathryn E. Sena, Robert S. Feit, Patrick J. Farris and Amy M. Brown, each acting individually, as the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact, with full power and authority as hereinafter described on behalf of and in the name, place and stead of the undersigned to:

- (1) prepare, execute, acknowledge, deliver and file Forms 3, 4, and 5 (including amendments thereto) with respect to the securities of AMETEK, Inc., a Delaware Corporation (the "Company"), with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission, any national securities exchanges and the Company, as considered necessary or advisable under Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended from time to time (the "Exchange Act");
- (2) seek or obtain, as the undersigned's representative and on the undersigned's behalf, information on transactions in the Company's securities from any third party, including brokers, employee benefit plan administrators and trustees, and the undersigned hereby authorizes any such person to release any such information to the undersigned and approves and ratifies any such release of information; and
- (3) perform any and all other acts which in the discretion of such attorney-in-fact are necessary or desirable for and on behalf of the undersigned in connection with the foregoing.

The undersigned acknowledges that:

- (1) this Power of Attorney authorizes, but does not require, each such attorney-in-fact to act in their discretion on information provided to such attorney-in-fact without independent verification of such information;
- (2) any documents prepared and/or executed by either such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney will be in such form and will contain such information and disclosure as such attorney-in-fact, in his or her discretion, deems necessary or desirable;
- (3) neither the Company nor either of such attorneys-in-fact assumes (i) any liability for the undersigned's responsibility to comply with the requirement of the Exchange Act, (ii) any liability of the undersigned for any failure to comply with such requirements, or (iii) any obligation or liability of the undersigned for profit disgorgement under Section 16(b) of the Exchange Act; and
- (4) this Power of Attorney does not relieve the undersigned from responsibility for compliance with the undersigned's obligations under the Exchange Act, including without limitation the reporting requirements under Section 16 of the Exchange Act.

The undersigned hereby gives and grants each of the foregoing attorneys-infact full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or appropriate to be done in and about the foregoing matters as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if present, hereby ratifying all that each such attorney-in-fact, for and on behalf of the undersigned, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Limited Power of Attorney.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to each such attorney-infact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 27th day of July, 2011.

/s/Robert R. Mandos