FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF	CHANGES	IN	BENEFICIAL
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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*  EGINTON WILLIAM D						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMETEK INC/ [ AME ]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1100 CASSATT ROAD P.O. BOX 1764						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2012										- X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  SENIOR VP-CORP. DEVELOPMENT					
(Street)		A	19312-11	.77	4. li	f Am	endmen	t, Date	of C	Original	Filed	(Month/E	Day/Year)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																		
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Date							2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		,	Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	n: Direct or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
							(				e V Amo		(A) (D)	Prie	e	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)					
Common Stock/serp				12/31	1/2012					<b>J</b> (1)		376	A	\$3	7.568	16	,699	D			
Common	Stock/defe	rred Compensa	tion	12/31	1/2012	2				<b>J</b> (2)		47	A	\$3	7.568 8,075		,075		D		
401k Pla	n															4	,848		I	401(k) Plan	
Common Stock															60,13		D				
			Table II -										f, or Bei			wned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion Date Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if		3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr 8)		5. Number of		6. Date Exercisi Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea			7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		Do	Price of erivative ecurity 1str. 5)	tive derivative ty Securities		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Dat Exe	e ercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er						
Stock Option	\$14.5378									(3)	04	4/22/2016	Common Stock	37,1	70		37,170	)	D		
Stock Option	\$19.5867									(4)	04	4/28/2017	Common Stock	26,1	85		26,185	5	D		
Stock Option	\$29.8267									(5)	0.5	5/02/2018	Common Stock	14,5	98		14,598	3	D		
Stock	\$34.0467						$\top$			(6)	04	4/30/2019	Common	16,3	68		16,368	3	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Allocated pursuant to the AMETEK, Inc. Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan under which shares are automatically distributed on a one-for-one basis upon the participant's retirement.
- 2. Constitutes stock units issued under the AMETEK, Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan which will be settled for stock on a 1 for 1 basis upon the reporting persons retirement.
- 3. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 23, 2010.
- 4. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 29, 2011.
- 5. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on May 3, 2012.
- 6. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on May 1, 2013.

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

Stock

12/31/2012

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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