FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  AMETEK INC/ [ AME ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
MALONE JAMES R					X									Directo	•		vner			
(Last) (First) (Middle)  QORVAL LLC					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/06/2012									Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	specify		
5150 TAMIAMI TRAIL NORTH, STE. 300				4.1	If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									idual or .	Joint/Group	Filino	g (Check Ap	plicable		
(Street)				-   ```										Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
NAPLES FL 34103													Form filed by More than One Reporting							
(City) (State) (Zip)			-										Person							
		Tab	le I - N	Non-Deri	vative	e Sec	uriti	ies Ad	cquire	d, D	isposed c	of, or B	enefic	ially	Owned	<u> </u>				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y					Execution		Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an			Benefic Owned		es ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock			09/06/2012				М		8,200	Α	\$14.7	7852	16	5,495		D			
Common Stock			09/06/2	09/06/2012				S		8,200	D	\$34.63	353 <sup>(1)</sup>	8,	,295		D			
Common Stock														5,352		I	By Wife			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of	3. Transaction Date	3A. De Execut	(e.g., <sub> </sub>	outs, 4. Transa	ransaction ode (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities		quired, Disposed of, s, options, convertib 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying		Price of curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	Beneficial Ownership	
	Derivative Security						Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)					Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		ty		Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	on(s)	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	per						
Stock Option	\$14.7852	09/06/2012			M			8,200	(2	)	04/25/2013	Commor Stock	8,20	00	\$0	0		D		
Stock Option	\$16.1955								(3	)	04/23/2014	Commor Stock	9,54	10		9,540		D		
Stock Option	\$21.6								(4	)	04/22/2015	Commor Stock	8,16	67		8,167		D		
Stock Option	\$14.5378								(5	)	04/22/2016	Commor Stock	8,82	20		8,820		D		
Stock Option	\$19.5867								(6	)	04/28/2017	Commor Stock	7,58	32		7,582		D		
Stock Option	\$29.8267								(7	)	05/02/2018	Commor Stock	4,05	50		4,050		D		
Stock Option	\$34.0467								(8	)	04/30/2019	Commor Stock	4,72	25		4,725		D		
Stock	\$30.74								(9	)	07/25/2019	Common	1,57	70		1,570		D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$34.62 to \$34.6480 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.
- 2. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 26, 2007.
- 3. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 24, 2008.
- 4. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 23, 2009.
- 5. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 23, 2010.
- $6. \ The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 29, 2011.$
- 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 installments beginning on May 1, 2013.
- 9. The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on July 26, 2013.

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

Stock

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

- $^{\star}$  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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