BADGER METER INC

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addres DIX RONALD I	1 0	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BADGER METER INC [BMI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	First) (Mide	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
4545 W BROWN DEER ROAD, P.O. BOX 245036		(Month/Day/Year) 06/26/2007	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title _X_ Other (specify below) below) Sr. VP-Admin. / Co-trustee Officers' Voting Tr			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
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(Stata)

(City)

Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	06/26/2007		M	600	A	\$ 5.7475	93,200	D	
Common Stock	06/26/2007		G <u>(1)</u>	600	D	\$ 25.63	92,600 (2)	D	
Common Stock							13,196.3945	I	ESSOP
Common Stock							25,000	I	Officers' Voting Trust
							41,000	D	

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Common Stock

Restricted Common I 7,500 Stock Stock

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	orof Derivative				Securities	8. F Der Sec (Ins	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options	\$ 5.7475	06/26/2007		M		600	01/29/2003	01/29/2012	BMI Common Stock	600	\$ 5
Stock Options	\$ 7						05/02/2004	05/02/2013	BMI Common Stock	24,000	
Stock Options	\$ 7						05/02/2004	05/02/2013	BMI Common Stock	10,000	
Stock Options	\$ 7.125						05/18/2002	05/18/2011	BMI Common Stock	20,000	
Stock Options	\$ 10.0625						07/16/2000	07/16/2009	BMI Common Stock	14,000	
Stock Options	\$ 18.325						05/09/2006	05/09/2015	BMI Common Stock	4,500	
Stock Options	\$ 31.41						05/05/2007	05/05/2016	BMI Common	3,600	

Stock BMI

Stock Options \$ 24.94

05/04/2008 05/04/2017 Common

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Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			r	Keiationships	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	

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Sr. VP-Admin. Co-trustee Officers' Voting Tr

Signatures

Ronald H. Dix 06/27/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Shares gifted to reporting person's three adult children (200 shares each). Reporting person disclaims beneficial interest in the shares.
- (2) Shares held jointly with spouse.

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