ZANDRON DANIEL D Form 4

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### FORM 4

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ZANDRON DANIEL D			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BADGER METER INC [BMI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	st) (First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
4545 W. BROWN DEER ROAD, P.O. BOX 245036			(Month/Day/Year) 07/29/2008	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title below)  VP-Business Development		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
MILWAUKEE, WI 53224-9536			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) our Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or Amount (D) Price		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	07/29/2008		M	6,000	A	\$ 7	30,303.4858	D		
Common Stock	07/29/2008		S	6,000	D	\$ 56.0182	24,303.4858	D		
Common Stock	07/29/2008		S	10,000	D	\$ 55.9962	14,303.4858	D		
Common Stock							4,027.0016	I	ESSOP	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Secur Acqu (A) o Dispo (D)	rities aired or osed of r. 3, 4,	Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 I S (
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options	\$ 7	07/29/2008		M		6,000	05/02/2004	05/02/2013	BMI Common Stock	6,000	
Stock Options	\$ 7						05/02/2004	05/02/2013	BMI Common Stock	7,200	
Stock Options	\$ 18.325						05/09/2006	05/09/2015	BMI Common Stock	3,600	
Stock Options	\$ 31.41						05/05/2007	05/05/2016	BMI Common Stock	2,400	
Stock Options	\$ 24.94						05/04/2008	05/04/2017	BMI Common Stock	2,400	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
ZANDRON DANIEL D 4545 W. BROWN DEER ROAD P.O. BOX 245036 MILWAUKEE, WI 53224-9536			VP-Business Development					

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## **Signatures**

Daniel D. 27/30/2008 Zandron

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

### **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) Stock Options are granted on a one-for-one basis.

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