Becker William C Form 4 April 19, 2019

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Becker William C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

MTS SYSTEMS CORP [MTSC]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

14000 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

04/17/2019

Director X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) Pres MTS Test Sales, Svc & Mkt

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55344

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (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 (D) or Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(Zip)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common 04/17/2019 Stock

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7,718.0484 (2)(3)55.25

D

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)

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| 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) | 5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price Derivat Security (Instr. 5 |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|---------------------|-----------------|---|--|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 46.25 | | | | | <u>(4)</u> | 04/17/2024 | Common Stock | 3,245 | |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 52.3 | | | | | <u>(5)</u> | 04/17/2025 | Common Stock | 4,480 | |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 48.8 | | | | | <u>(6)</u> | 12/05/2025 | Common Stock | 4,952 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Keiauonsinps | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |

Becker William C 14000 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE

EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55344

Pres MTS Test Sales, Svc & Mkt

Signatures

/s/ Amanda Lorentz as attorney-in-fact for William C. Becker pursuant to Power of Attorney previously filed.

04/19/2019

**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) Represents shares withheld for payment of tax liability.
- (2) Includes 222.1254 shares purchased on 12/31/18 through the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

(3)

Reporting Owners 2

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Includes (i) 222 restricted stock units that vest on 10/17/19; (ii) 225 restricted stock units that vest on 4/17/20; (iii) 637 restricted stock units that vest as to 319 shares on 4/17/20 and as to 318 shares on 4/17/21; and (iv) 1,281 restricted stock units that vest as to 427 shares on each of 12/5/19, 12/5/20 and 12/5/21.

- (4) Options to purchase 1,082 shares vest on each of 4/17/18 and 4/17/19 and options to purchase 1,081 shares vest on 4/17/20.
- (5) Options to purchase 1,494 shares vest on 4/17/19 and options to purchase 1,493 shares vest on each of 4/17/20 and 4/17/21.
- (6) Options to purchase 1,651 shares vest on each of 12/5/19 and 12/5/20 and options to purchase 1,650 shares vest on 12/5/21.

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