FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* OCONNOR A BRUCE					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MIDDLESEX WATER CO [MSEX]											all app	olicable) ctor		Owner	
(Last) 1500 RO	(Fir	(First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/02/2017										Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Vice President & CFO			
(Street) ISELIN (City)	NJ (St)8830 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									i. Indiv ine) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ar) i	2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A)				or 5. 4 and Se Be		ount of ities icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or D)	Price	e	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock (Restricted Stock Book Entry)				10/02	10/02/2017				J		2,613		D	\$40).48 1		6,803	D		
Common Stock - (Book Entry)				10/02	02/2017				J		2,613		A	\$40.48		17,846		D		
Common	non Stock (DRP Certificate Form)															1	.5,233	D		
Common Stock (DRP)														7,569		D				
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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. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code (8)			rative rities ired r osed)	Expiratio (Month/D	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)			Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ınt		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date			ıres						

Explanation of Responses:

s/Jay L. Kooper, Power of Attorney for A. Bruce O'Connor

10/05/2017

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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