FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Doll Dennis W						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  MIDDLESEX WATER CO [ MSEX ]										Check	all app Dired	ionship of Reporti all applicable) Director Officer (give title		10% C		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 15 EDWARD AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/12/2004										X	belov					
(Street)  MONROE  TOWNSHIP  08831				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)											Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)																			
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quire	d, Di	sp	osed o	f, or	Ben	efici	ally	Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						ar)	Execution if any	Deemed ecution Date, any onth/Day/Year)		Transaction		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)				4 and Sec Ben Owr		urities eficially		Ownership m: Direct or Indirect Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Cod	e V		Amount	(	(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			<u> </u>	` ,	
Common Stock 04/12/2												1,258	3	A \$17		7.7 2,258		2,258		D <sup>(1)</sup>		
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)	rative Conversion Date Execution Date or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Date, ny/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Disp of (D	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Exercisable  Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amour or Numbe of Title Shares			•		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Joint Account with Spouse Barbara A. Doll

/s/Kenneth J. Quinn, Power of Attorney for Dennis W. Doll

04/13/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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