Instruction 1(b)

## FORM 5

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL **OWNERSHIP**

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Form 3	Holdings Repo	rted.																
Form 4	Transactions R	eported.	File	ed pursuant to or Section					ities Excha ompany Ac									
l	d Address of I	Reporting Person* IEN H			. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  MIDDLESEX WATER CO [ MSEX ]							k all app	licable)	ting Pe	erson(s) to 10%	lssuer Owner		
(Last) 1217 NO	(Fir	st) ( NNVIEW RD.	Middle)	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2004					Year)	Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)								
(Street) VIRGINI BEACH	A <sub>VA</sub>	. 2	23454-1810	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					son	
(City)	(Sta	ate) (	Zip)															
		Tabl	e I - Non-Deriv	ative Sec	uritie	s Ac	quire	d, Di	sposed (	of, or	Benefic	ially	Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Dispos Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			or Dispose	ed	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of		6. Ownership Form: Direct	ership   I n: Direct   I	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
				(Month/Day/Year)		8)		Amou	nt	(A) or (D) Price			Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)		(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock											49	,875		D <sup>(1)</sup>			
Common	Stock		12/17/2004			I	)		25	D	\$ <mark>0</mark>			0 D <sup>(2)</sup>				
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Common	Stock		12/17/2004			I	)		25	D	\$0	0 D <sup>(5)</sup>						
Common	Stock		12/17/2004			I	)		25	D	\$0	0 D <sup>(6)</sup>						
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		Та	ble II - Derivat (e.g., pu	ive Secur uts, calls,									wned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		vative rities varied rosed )		Date Exercisable and xpiration Date Industriation Date Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Ownersi Form: Direct (Dor Indirect) (I) (Instr.			
			Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Number of Shares											

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Shares held in Street Name.
- 2. 25 Shares transferred to Thomas Mann, Merrill Lynch Account,
- 3. 25 Shares transferred to Cody Mann, Merrill Lynch Account.
- ${\it 4.\,25~Shares~transferred~to~Dawn~Mann,~Custodian~for~Lydia~Mann,~Merrill~Lynch~Account.}\\$
- 5. 25 Shares transferred to Clancy Tinker Mundy, Custodian for Ashlyn Gouldthread, Merrill Lynch Account.
- 6. 25 Shares transferred to Clancy Tinker Mundy, Custodian for Savannah Gouldthread, Merrill Lynch Account.
- 7. Shares held I/N/O Clancy Tinker Mundy, Spouse.

/s/ Kenneth J. Quinn, Power of

Attorney for Stephen H. Mundy

01/28/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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