FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name an REINH		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MIDDLESEX WATER CO [MSEX]											olicable)	ıg Persoı	Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner						
(Last) 215 MID	ast) (First) (Middle) 15 MIDWAY AVENUE							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2009										Other (specify below)			
(Street) FANWO	FANWOOD NJ 07023-1038						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tabl	e I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	es Acc	uired,	Dis	posed o	of, or	Bene	efici	ally	Owne	ed				
Dat					2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Code (Instr. 5		Disposed	4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			4 and Secui Benet		cially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						Code	v	Amount	Amount (A)		Price	Trans		action(s) 3 and 4)			(msu. 4)				
Common	Stock (DRI	P Certificates)													81						
Common	05/01	05/01/2009				P		17		Α	\$14.11		2,518		Γ)					
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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, Trans Code			of Deriving Security (A) of Disput of (Disput)	of		xercis in Dati ay/Ye		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		str. 3			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 Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	or	ount nber ires								

Explanation of Responses:

s/Kenneth J. Quinn, Power of

Attorney for Walter G.

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** Signature of Reporting Person Date

05/04/2009

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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