FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person $^*$ $\underline{REYNOLDS\ MARION\ F}$						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  MIDDLESEX WATER CO [ MSEX ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) MIDDLESEX WATER CO PO BOX 1500						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/03/2003								X Officer (give title X Other (specify below)  Vice President, Secretary / Treaurer				
(Street) ISELIN NJ 08830 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person			
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	sposed o	f, or E	enefic	cially	Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day						Execution Date,		Transaction Disp Code (Instr.			Securities Acquired (A) of isposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		and 5) Sec Ber Ow		ount of ities ficially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Price	•	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(5 4)		
Common Stock (Restricted)												$\top$	$\top$			4,300	D	
Common Stock															:	10,300	D	
Common Stock (Dividend Reinvestment) 09/03/20					2003		Z		168	A	\$24	.7314		7,857	D			
		Та	ıble II -								osed of, convertib				vned			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	ative Conversion or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) 3) Price of Derivative Security Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			4. Transa Code (I 8)		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instrand 5	ative rities ired osed	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Exercisable Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Number of		nt er		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)		

**Explanation of Responses:** 

/s/ Marion Reynolds

09/03/2003

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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