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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MIDDLESEX WATER CO [ MSEX ]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
SULLIVAN DENNIS G				X	Director	10% Owner				
					Officer (give title	Other (specify				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)		below)	below)				
MIDDLESE	X WATER CO		12/02/2003		Preside	ent				
PO BOX 15	00									
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	vidual or Joint/Group Fil	ing (Check Applicable				
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)								

#### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Table 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquireu, Disposed 01, 01 Beneniciany Owned											
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code ( 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150. 4)	
Common Stock (Restricted)								8,000	D		
Common Stock								3,266	D		
Common Stock (Dividend Reinvestment)	12/02/2003		A		27	A	\$19.629	1,993	I	Joint Account with Spouse Mary G. Sullivan	
Common Stock (Dividend Reinvestment)	12/02/2003		A		3	A	\$19.629	310	I	Custodial Account for Son- Dennis J. Sullivan	
Common Stock (Dividend Reinvestment)	12/02/2003		А		2	A	\$19.629	299	I	Custodial Account for Daughter- Christina H. Sullivan	

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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr	of Expiration Date Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Securities Acquired (A) or			7. Title Amour Securi Underl Deriva Securi and 4)	nt of ties ying tive ty (Instr. 3	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	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)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

#### **Remarks:**

All shares also adjusted for 4-for-3 stock split effective November 14, 2003

<u>/s/ M.F. Reynolds, Power of</u> <u>Attorney for Dennis G.</u> <u>Sullivan</u>

12/02/2003

Date

\*\* 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).

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