FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name an		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MIDDLESEX WATER CO [MSEX]									all applicable) Director		ng Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) MIDDLESEX WATER CO						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/03/2003									Offic belov	er (give title w)	Other below	(specify	
PO BOX 1500 (Street)					4. If	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				
ISELIN NJ 08830				-										Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)																
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	l, Dis	sposed o	f, or E	Benefic	cially	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day						Execution Date,		Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 in the control of the			and 5) Secur Benef Owne		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
					Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		,	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)					
Common Stock															61		D		
Common Stock (Diviedend Reinvestment) 09/03/2						2003			Z		16	A	\$24	\$24.7314		1,017	D		
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)	Execution Date, if any		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		Deri Secu (Inst	vative irity r. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Marion Reynolds, Power of

Attorney for Walter G.

09/03/2003

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** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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