EGINTON WILLIAM D

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

AMETEK INC/ [AME]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Symbol

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

(Middle)

1100 CASSATT ROAD, P.O. BOX 1764		` .	(Month/Day/Year) 04/23/2012				Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SENIOR VP-CORP. DEVELOPMENT			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
BERWYN, PA	19312-1177		$\frac{-}{Pe}$				Form filed by More than One Reporting rson			
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	04/23/2012		F(1)	1,157	D	\$ 48.36	57,070	D		
401k Plan	04/23/2012		J <u>(2)</u>	1	A	\$0	3,218	I	401(k) Plan	
Common Stock/deferred Compensation							5,352	D		
Common Stock/serp							10,882	D		

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

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration D (Month/Day) e	Date Exercisable and xpiration Date Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option	\$ 24.2933					(3)	04/23/2014	Common Stock	12,687	
Stock Option	\$ 32.4					<u>(4)</u>	04/22/2015	Common Stock	14,194	
Stock Option	\$ 21.8067					(5)	04/22/2016	Common Stock	24,780	
Stock Option	\$ 29.38					<u>(6)</u>	04/28/2017	Common Stock	17,457	
Stock Option	\$ 44.74					<u>(7)</u>	05/02/2018	Common Stock	9,732	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

EGINTON WILLIAM D 1100 CASSATT ROAD P.O. BOX 1764

BERWYN, PA 19312-1177

SENIOR VP-CORP. DEVELOPMENT

Signatures

/s/ William D.

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**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
- (1) Represents withholding of shares to pay withholding taxes incurred in connection with cliff vesting of restricted stock issued on April 23, 2008
- (2) Represents dividend reinvestment under the Company's 401(k) Plan.
- (3) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on April 24, 2008.
- (4) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on April 23, 2009.
- (5) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 23, 2010.
- (6) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 29, 2011.
- (7) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on May 3, 2012.

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