Mistras Group, Inc. Form 4 February 16, 2017

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Zip)

(Print or Type Responses)

CLARKSVILLE ROAD

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Vahaviolos Sotirios J.

(First) (Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Mistras Group, Inc. [MG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

C/O MISTRAS GROUP, INC., 195 02/14/2017

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director X 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

Chairman and CEO

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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

PRINCETON JUNCTION, NJ 08550

(State)

(Street)

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative Se	ecuri	ties Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/14/2017		S	85,985 (1)	D	\$ 23.26 (2)	11,118,588	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)

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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transact Code (Instr. 8)	orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	:		Amou Under Securi (Instr.	lying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Family Faddress	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Vahaviolos Sotirios J. C/O MISTRAS GROUP, INC. 195 CLARKSVILLE ROAD PRINCETON JUNCTION, NJ 08550	X	X	Chairman and CEO				

Signatures

Michael C. Keefe, attorney-in-fact for Sotirios J. Vahaviolos 02/16/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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) Sale of stock to the issuer pursuant to an August 17, 2016 agreement between the issuer and the reporting person. The terms of the agreement are described in a Current Report on Form 8-K filed by the issuer with the Commission on August 18, 2016.
- Price is 98% of the average closing price for each of the trading days in January 2017, as provided in the agreement described in footnote 1.

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