FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Respor	ises)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person – RAHILL PAUL F			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MATTHEWS INTERNATIONAL CORP [MATW]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director10% Owner XOfficer (give title below)Other (specify below)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/10/2010						President, Crematic	n Division	
	(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 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(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)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	ecution Date, if Code (A) or Disposed of (D)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Beneficial Ownership			
				Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock 11/10/2010			A <mark>(1)</mark>		5,000	А	\$ 0	38,355	D		
Class A Common Stock 11/10/2010				М		0	А	\$ 0	12,000	Ι	Spouse

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

			(<i>e.g.</i> , p	uts, calls,	wa	rrant	s, opt	ions, conver	tible securi	ties)					
1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.		5. Nu	mber	6. Date Exer	rcisable	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transact	ion	of		and Expirati	on Date	Amo	unt of	Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code		Deriv	ative	(Month/Day	/Year)	Unde	rlying	Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Secur	Securities		Secu	rities	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership	
	Derivative					Acqu	ired			(Instr	: 3 and		Owned	Security:	(Instr. 4)
	Security					(A) o	r			4)			Following	Direct (D)	
						Dispo	osed						Reported	or Indirect	
						of (D)						Transaction(s)		
						(Instr							(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
						4, and	15)								
											Amount				
								Date	Evaluation		or				
								Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Number				
								Excicisable	Date		of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)				Shares				

Reporting Owners

	Relationships									
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other						
RAHILL PAUL F			President, Cremation Division							

Signatures

Paul F. Rahill	11/12/2010	
Signature of Reporting Person	Date	

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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Award of restricted stock under the Company's 2007 Equity Incentive Plan, subject to the agreement entered into under the Plan. In general, 50% of the shares vest on November 10, 2013, subject to continuing employment at that time. The remaining 50% of the shares vest in increments of one-third upon the stock price of the Company (1) reaching 105%, 115% and 125% of the price of the Company's common stock on the date of the award for ten consecutive trading days, respectively, and in any event no earlier than one year from the date of the grant, subject to continuing employment at that time. Shares that do not achieve the stock price thresholds on or before November 10, 2015 will be forfeited.

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