FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	es)												
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * OLEARY JOHN P JR				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MATTHEWS INTERNATIONAL CORP [MATW]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_Director Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)					
(Last))	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest 03/14/2013	Transactio	on (M	onth/Day	/Year)						
(Street)									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 Acqu				ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) any		Date	Execution Date, if	(Instr. 8) (D)		Disposed	posed of Rep		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price				or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
Class A C	Common S	tock	03/14/2013		A ⁽¹⁾		2,872	A	\$ 0	13,238		D		
Class A C	Common S	tock	03/14/2013		A		0	A	\$ 0 19,045			I	Held in trust for benefit of spouse	
Reminder: indirectly.	Report on a	separate line	for each class of secu	rities beneficially o	owned dire	Pers cont	ons who	this fo	rm ar	e not req	ection of in uired to re d OMB cor	spond un	less	EC 1474 (9- 02)
				erivative Securiti	-		•	*		•	l			
Security	Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day	on 3A. Deemed Execution Da any	4. te, if Transaction Code Year) (Instr. 8)	5. Number	and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Ar Ur Se (In 4) Date Expiration Time		7. T Am Und Sec (Ins 4)	Citle and count of derlying urities etr. 3 and		9. Number Derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owners Form o Derivat Securit Direct (or India	Ownersh y: (Instr. 4) D) ect	
				Code V	(A) (D)		cisable		Titl	e Number of Shares				

Reporting Owners

D (1 0 N /41)	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
OLEARY JOHN P JR							
	X						

Signatures

John P. O'Leary, Jr.	03/15/2013
**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) Award of restricted stock made under the 1994 Director Fee Plan, as amended, subject to the agreement entered into under the Plan. In general, the shares vest on the second anniversary of the award.

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