FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* NEWLIN WILLIAM R						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KENNAMETAL INC [KMT]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner						
	(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O NEWLIN INVESTMENT COMPANY LLC 441 BEAVER STREET SUITE 202						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/01/2008 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
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(City)	(S	-	(Zip)																		
Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)				action	ar)	2A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	ed Date	3. Transa Code (I	ction	4. Securi	of, or Bo ities Acqui d Of (D) (Ir	red (A) or	5. A Sec Bei Ow	mour uritie eficia	nt of s ally ollowing	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
										v	Amount	(A) (D)	Price	Tra	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(instr. 4)		
Common Stock 08/01/					1/2008	2008			A		1,35	2 A		7	74,827.5494			D			
		7	able II -						uired, D s, option					y Own	ed						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)			tive ties ed	6. Date Exe Expiration (Month/Day	Date		Amount of		8. Pric Deriva Secur (Instr.	tive ty	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e s illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to	\$29.6	08/01/2008			A		7,000		(1)	08	8/18/2018	Common Stock	7,000	\$0		7,000)	D			

Explanation of Responses:

 $1. \ Option \ is \ exercisable \ in \ three \ equal \ annual \ installments, \ commencing \ on \ the \ first \ anniversary \ of \ the \ grant \ date.$

By: David W. Greenfield For: William R. Newlin

08/04/2008

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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