FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHAN	GES IN BE	NEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>HIBBARD TIMOTHY A</u>				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KENNAMETAL INC [KMT]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner									
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1600 TECHNOLOGY WAY P.O. BOX 231				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/27/2006								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Corporate Controller									
(Street)	BE PA	A	15650		_ 4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting							
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)											Person							
		Tab	le I - N	lon-Deri	vative	e Sec	uritie	s Ac	quire	d, D	isposed c	of, or Be	enefici	ally	Owned	l					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Execution Date,		Date,			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an			nd 5) Securition Benefici Owned I		s Illy ollowing	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	n: Direct r Indirect istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reporter Transact (Instr. 3		ion(s)			(Instr. 4)					
Common Stock		01/27/2006				M		8,920	A	\$29.8	805 21,12		24.8284		D						
Common	Common Stock		01/27/2006					M		1,080	A	\$29.8	.805 22,204.8284		4.8284		D				
Common	ommon Stock		01/27/2006				S		5,000	D	\$58.06	0634 17,204		.8284(1)		D					
Common	Stock			01/27/2	2006				S		5,000	D	\$58.	7	12,204.8284		D				
Common	Stock			01/27/2	2006				I		472.711	D	\$58.66	.6657		0			By 401 (k) Plan		
		-	Table I								posed of converti				wned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, Transaction of		ative rities ired sed	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		D S (li	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					
					Code	v	(A) ((D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares	er							
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$29.805	01/27/2006			М		1	1,080	08/26/	2004	07/22/2012	Common Stock	1,080		\$0	0		D			
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$29.805	01/27/2006			M			8,920	08/26/2	2004	07/22/2012	Common Stock	8,920		\$0	0		D			

Explanation of Responses:

 $1. \ Includes \ 45.0868 \ shares \ acquired \ pursuant \ to \ tax-conditioned \ plans \ (exempt \ under \ Rule \ 16b-3(c)).$

By: David W. Greenfield For: 01/30/2006 Timothy A. Hibbard

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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