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*			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KENNAMETAL INC [kmt]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
CARDOSO CARLOS M				Х	Director	10% Owner			
(Last) (First)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Х	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
			01/01/2012	President and CEO					
P.O. BOX 231									
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	idual or Joint/Group Filing ((Check Applicable			
LATROBE	PA	15650		Х	Form filed by One Repor	ting Person			
					Form filed by More than Person	One Reporting			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			r cisui				

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (4. Securities Disposed Of 5)			Securities Beneficially	Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	Amount (A) or (D) Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(instit 4)
Common Stock	01/01/2012		F		5,704	D	\$36.52	165,519.015	D	

 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/\	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 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 Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

<u>By: Kevin G. Nowe For:</u> <u>Carlos M. Cardoso</u>

01/03/2012

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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