

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>WESSNER MICHAEL P</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) 1600 TECHNOLOGY WAY P.O. BOX 231  (Street) LATROBE PA 15650  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>KENNAMETAL INC [ KMT ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  X Vice President
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/20/2006	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

**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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	03/20/2006		M		5,834	A	\$38.435	25,787.5009	D	
Common Stock	03/20/2006		S		5,200	D	\$60.5	20,587.5009 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	03/20/2006		S		200	D	\$60.52	20,387.5009	D	
Common Stock	03/20/2006		S		100	D	\$60.53	20,287.5009	D	
Common Stock	03/20/2006		S		100	D	\$60.55	20,187.5009	D	
Common Stock	03/20/2006		S		100	D	\$60.57	20,087.5009	D	
Common Stock	03/20/2006		S		134	D	\$60.6	19,953.5009	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2006		M		200	A	\$38.435	20,153.5009	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2006		S		200	D	\$60.5	19,953.5009	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		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
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$38.435	03/20/2006		M		5,834		07/31/2004	07/30/2011	Common Stock	5,834	\$0	9,166	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$38.435	03/21/2006		M		200		07/31/2004	07/30/2011	Common Stock	200	\$0	8,966	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

1. Includes 182,3681 shares acquired pursuant to tax-conditioned plans (exempt under Rule 16b-3(c)).

By: David W. Greenfield For: Michael P. Wessner 03/21/2006

\*\* 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).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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