FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Simpkins Frank P						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KENNAMETAL INC [KMT]									Check	all app Dired	olicable)		ssuer Owner (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1600 TECHNOLOGY WAY P.O. BOX 231						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/24/2006									X	belov	w) ``	below orate Control	າ) ່
(Street) LATROBE PA 15650 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day						Execution Date			Code	saction (Instr.		Securities Acquired (A) sposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			and 5) Sec Ber		ount of ities icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
								v	Amount	() 1)	A) or D)	Price	Trar		action(s) 3 and 4)		(111501.4)		
Common Stock 07/24						2006			F		158		D	\$54.115		12,	157.787	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)	rivative Conversion Date Execution or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			n Date, ay/Year) -	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expira (Monti	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of		-		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

By: David W. Greenfield For: Frank P. Simpkins

07/25/2006

** 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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