## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Simpkins Frank P  (Last) (First) (Middle)  1600 TECHNOLOGY WAY  P.O. BOX 231  (Street)					3. D 08/	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KENNAMETAL INC [ KMT ]      Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/16/2006  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6	S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     Director 10% Owner     X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)     VP and Corporate Controller      6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(City)			Zip)			Form filed by More than O Person									e than One	Rep	orting			
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	es Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	efici	ally (	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D.				Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 3, 4) 5) 8)						ities cially d Following	6. Owners Form: Dire (D) or Indi (I) (Instr. 4	ect rect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
								Code	v	Amount	(	A) or D)	Price	,	Transa	action(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 08/16					/2006	2006		F		131	1 D \$		\$52	2.76	12,512.64 <sup>(1)</sup>		D			
Common Stock 08/16/3					/2006	2006		F		131		D	\$52	2.76	12,381.64		D			
Common Stock 08/16/				/2006		F		158		D	\$52	2.76 12		,223.64	D					
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	tive Conversion or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) 3) Price of Derivative Security Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) 8)		Transa Code (		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) of Disp	vative irities sired r osed ) r. 3, 4	Expiration (Month/E	Date Exercisable and epiration Date conth/Day/Year)  ate Expiration tercisable Date		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		nstr. 3	nt er		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Ins	(D) rect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

## Explanation of Responses:

 $1. \ Includes \ 28.853 \ shares \ acquired \ pursuant \ to \ tax-conditioned \ plans \ (exempt \ under \ Rule \ 16b-3(c)).$ 

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

08/17/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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