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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Jones Timothy N			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMETEK INC/ [AME]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an approach)
1100 CASSAT 1764	T ROAD, F	P.O. BOX	(Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2011	Director 10% Owner Self-control of the control o
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
BERWYN, PA 19312-1177				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Se	ecuri	ties Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)		eposed and and and and and and and and and and	of (D) 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)
Common Stock/serp	12/31/2011		Code V $J_{(1)}^{(1)}$		(D) A	Price \$ 42.044	13,018	D	
Common Stock							60,475	D	
Common Stock							3,600	I	By Sons

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

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8. Price Deriva Securit (Instr.

 $\label{thm:convertible} \textbf{Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned} \\ \textit{(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)}$

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 16.8578					(2)	04/26/2012	Common Stock	15,120
Stock Option	\$ 22.1778					(3)	04/25/2013	Common Stock	33,727
Stock Option	\$ 24.2933					<u>(4)</u>	04/23/2014	Common Stock	30,000
Stock Option	\$ 32.4					(5)	04/22/2015	Common Stock	29,895
Stock Option	\$ 21.8067					<u>(6)</u>	04/22/2016	Common Stock	46,245
Stock Option	\$ 29.38					<u>(7)</u>	04/28/2017	Common Stock	31,755
Stock Option	\$ 44.74					(8)	05/02/2018	Common Stock	17,310

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

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/s/ Timothy N. Jones 12/20/2011

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**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Allocated pursuant to the AMETEK, Inc. Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan under which shares are automatically distributed on a one-for-one basis upon the participant's retirement.
- (2) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on April 27, 2006.
- (3) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on April 26, 2007.
- (4) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on April 24, 2008.
- (5) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on April 23, 2009.
- (6) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 23, 2010.
- (7) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 29, 2011.
- (8) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal installments beginning on May 3, 2012.

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