MIDDLESEX WATER CO

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading REINHARD WALTER G Issuer Symbol MIDDLESEX WATER CO [MSEX] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify 215 MIDWAY AVENUE 09/02/2009 below) (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting FANWOOD, NJ 07023-1038 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 7. Nature of (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Ownership Indirect Code (D) Beneficially Form: Beneficial anv (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common Stock (DRP 81 D Certificates) Common Stock (Dividend 09/01/2009 P 47 2,652 D Reinvestment) Common Stock 09/01/2009 P 2 D

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

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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Amour Underl Securit (Instr.	lying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Transfer and the same and	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
REINHARD WALTER G							
215 MIDWAY AVENUE	X						
FANWOOD NI 07023-1038							

Signatures

s/Kenneth J. Quinn, Power of Attorney for Walter G. Reinhard

09/02/2009 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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