FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  HELD A PETER				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KENNAMETAL INC [ kmt ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
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(Last)	(F JTHLAKE	•	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/29/2003								Officer (give title below)			specify	
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	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D				Execution Date,		Code (	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) Code (Instr. 5)			Beneficia Owned F	es Formally (D) (Following (I) (I		: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transactio Code (Inst 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Amount o		f s g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	s Illy	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$38.71	07/29/2003			A		4,500		07/29/2004	(1)	07/28/2013	Common Stock	4,500	\$0	4,500		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Option is exercisable in three equal annual installments, commencing on the first anniversary of the grant date.

s/David W. Greenfield, 07/30/2003 Attorney-in-fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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