FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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OMB APPROVAL

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] TAMBAKERAS MARKOS I			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>KENNAMETAL INC</u> [KMT]		tionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer all applicable) Director 10% Owner		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2003		Officer (give title below)Other (specify below)Chairman, President and Chief		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	dual or Joint/Group Filing (C	Check Applicable	
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)			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. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150.4)
Common Stock	07/01/2002		Α	v	150,000	A	0	288,935.438	D	
Common Stock	07/31/2002		F	v	1,712	D	32.195	287,223.438	D	
Common Stock	09/30/2002		G	v	100	D	0	287,173.023	D	
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	07/01/2003		F		10,756	D	33.345	277,260.888	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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	36.15	07/01/2002		А	v	70,000		07/01/2003 ⁽²⁾	06/30/2012	Common Stock	70,000	\$ 0	70,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The amount of securities beneficially owned following reported transaction(s) listed in column 5 of this Form 4 includes 893.4500 shares acquired pursuant to tax-conditioned plans (exempt under Rule 16b-3(c)). Specifically, the amount includes: (a) 287.8950 shares acquired pursuant to the Kennametal Inc. Thrift Plan; (b) 588.2456 shares acquired pursuant to the Kennametal Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan; and (c) 17.3094 shares acquired pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature of the Kennametal Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan. (Please note that this footnote would normally be included in column 5. The filing system currently used does not support footnotes to column 5.)

2. This option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on July 1, 2003.

Markos I. Tambakeras

** Signature of Reporting Person

07/02/2003

Date

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

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