FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Rossi Christopher						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KENNAMETAL INC [ KMT ]									lationship ck all app Direc	ctor		10% O	wner
	(First) (Middle) NNAMETAL INC. LIAM PENN PLACE, 33RD FLOOR				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/26/2021									X	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  President and CEO				specify
(Street) PITTSBURGH PA 15219 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Line) X	i. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person 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. Transact Date (Month/Day					Execution			3. Transa Code ( 8)			s Acquired (A) Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		and Securiti Benefic		es ially Following	Form (D)	m: Direct or Indirect Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or Pric	e	Transac (Instr. 3				(3 4)
Common Stock 07/26/2					021				J		14,899(1)	A	. 4	S <mark>O</mark>	114,	485.73		D	
Common Stock 07/26/20					021				J		34,861(2)	A	. 4	<del>0</del>	114,485.73(3)(4)			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)	if any	emed ion Date, I/Day/Year)		Transaction Code (Instr.		vative rities iired r osed ) r. 3, 4	Expirat	6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Titli Amou Secur Under Deriva Secur 3 and	int of rities rlying ative rity (Instr 4)	De Se (In	. Price of Perivative Pecurity Pecurity	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	or Numbe of Shares	r					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents 18,623 performance unit shares previously reported on Form 4 as deemed earned by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of Kennametal Inc. (the Compensation Committee), under Kennametal's 2018 Performance Unit awards that have met the performance requirements for distribution as common shares. Previously reported deemed earned performance unit shares for 2018 Performance Unit awards are subject to a relative TSR multiplier, calculated as 80%, and approved by the Compensation Committee on July 26, 2021. The vesting and actual payout of the shares remains subject to the reporting person's continued employment with the Company through August 1, 2021.
- 2. Represents 34,861 shares deemed to have been earned by the Compensation Committee on July 26, 2021, with respect to the first tranche of the Performance Unit Award granted to the reporting person on August 15, 2020, under the Kennametal Inc. Stock and Incentive Plan of 2016 (the "2020 Performance Unit Award".) The vesting and actual payout of these shares remain subject to the reporting person's continued employment with the Company through August 15, 2023.
- 3. Includes 2,145.636 shares acquired through Kennametal Inc.'s dividend reinvestment plan, meeting the requirements of Rule 16a-11 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 as amended, since the reporting person's last Form 4 filing.
- 4. Includes 18,623 shares of Performance Unit shares not yet distributed.

Michelle R. Keating

07/28/2021

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

- \* 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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