MSC INDUSTRIAL DIRECT CO INC

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FORM 4

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1(b).

\$0.001 par value

(Print or Type Responses)

1 Name and Address of Reporting Person *

POLLI GREGORY				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MSC INDUSTRIAL DIRECT CO INC [MSM]					Issuer (Check all applicable)			
					ate of Earliest Transaction nth/Day/Year)				Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify			
	C/O MSC INC.		04/15/2016					below) SVP, PRODUCT MANAGEMENT				
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
MELVILLE, NY 11747				Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tahl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi		reison iired, Disposed of	or Reneficial	v Owned	
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e 2A. Deemed		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. 7. N Ownership Indi Form: Direct Ben (D) or Own Indirect (I) (Insi	7. Nature of Indirect	
	Class A				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)		
	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	04/15/2016			M	12,303	A	\$ 44.17	19,360	D		
	Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par	04/15/2016			S	12,303	D	\$ 74.8 (1)	7,057	D		

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options (right to buy) (2)	\$ 44.17	04/15/2016		M	12,303	(3)	10/12/2016	Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	12,303

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

POLLI GREGORY C/O MSC INDUSTRIAL DIRECT CO., INC. MELVILLE, NY 11747

SVP, PRODUCT MANAGEMENT

Signatures

/s/ Gregory Polli 04/19/2016

**Signature of Person Date

**Reporting Person

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).
- Represents the sale of 12,303 shares in 176 separate transactions, ranging from \$74.3200 to \$75.4100 per share, resulting in a weighted (1) average sale price per share of \$74.7998. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide upon request by the SEC staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range.
- (2) Represents options to purchase the Issuer's Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value ("Common Stock").
 - An option to purchase 12,303 shares of the Issuer's Common Stock was issued to the Reporting Person under the Issuer's 2005 Omnibus
- (3) Incentive Plan. 3,075 shares of Common Stock became exercisable on October 13, 2010. An additional 3,076 shares of Common Stock became exercisable on each of October 13, 2011, October 13, 2012 and October 23, 2013.

Reporting Owners 2

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