

PELLER PHILIP  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
PELLER PHILIP

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
MSC INDUSTRIAL DIRECT CO INC [MSM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
01/25/2018

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

C/O MSC INDUSTRIAL DIRECT CO., INC., 75 MAXESS ROAD

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

MELVILLE, NY US 11747

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	01/26/2018		M	A	555	\$ 0 (1)	2,997 D
Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	01/26/2018		M	A	9	\$ 0 (2)	3,006 D
					9,358	I	

Class A  
Common  
Stock,  
\$0.001 par  
value

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Footnote  
(3)

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

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units (RSU)	(1)	01/25/2018		A	1,161		(4)	(4)	Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	1,161
Restricted Stock Units (RSU)	(1)	01/26/2018		M	555		(5)	(5)	Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	555
Dividend Equivalent Units (DEU)	(2)	01/26/2018		M	9.5436		(2)	(2)	Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	9.5436

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

PELLER PHILIP  
C/O MSC INDUSTRIAL DIRECT CO., INC.  
75 MAXESS ROAD

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MELVILLE, NY US 11747

## Signatures

/s/ Philip Peller

01/29/2018

\_\_Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## 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).

(1) Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock.

(2) The dividend equivalent units accrued with respect to an outstanding award of restricted stock units (RSUs) and vest at the same time(s) as the underlying RSUs. Each dividend equivalent unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock.

(3) Represents shares held in a trust, of which the Reporting Person's spouse is the sole beneficiary. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

(4) 580 of these RSUs will vest on January 25, 2019 and 581 of these RSUs will vest on January 25, 2020, provided that the Reporting Person continues to serve as Outside Director through the applicable vesting date. The vested shares will be delivered to the Reporting Person upon vesting.

(5) 555 of 1,110 RSUs granted on January 26, 2017 have vested on January 26, 2018, and will vest January 26, 2019, provided that the Reporting Person continues to serve as Outside Director through the applicable vesting date. The vested shares will be delivered to the Reporting Person upon vesting.

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