Retelny Gary Form 4 February 13, 2013

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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SECURITIES Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue.

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Retelny Gary			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MSCI Inc. [MSCI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	(Check all applicable) Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify			
7 WORLD TRADE CENTER, 250 GREENWICH STREET			02/11/2013	below) below) Corporate Secretary			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
NEW YORK, NY 10007				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Transaction(A) or Disp Code (Instr. 3, 4 a (Instr. 8)			of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/11/2013		A	51,460 (1)	A	\$ 0	102,963	D	
Common Stock	02/11/2013		A	998 (2)	A	\$ 0	103,961	D	
Common Stock	02/11/2013		A	4,704 (3)	A	\$0	108,665	D	
Common Stock	02/11/2013		F	27,559 (4)	D	\$ 33.68	81,106	D	

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired		ate	Amou Under Secur	rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo
					(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number		Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Retelny Gary 7 WORLD TRADE CENTER 250 GREENWICH STREET NEW YORK, NY 10007

Corporate Secretary

Signatures

/s/ Cecilia Aza, attorney-in-fact

02/13/2013

**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).
- Number of shares of common stock issued following the vesting of performance stock units ("PSUs") on February 11, 2013, upon (1) certification by the MSCI Inc. Compensation Committee of the achievement of certain cumulative performance metrics for the 2010, 2011 and 2012 fiscal years.
- (2) Number of shares of common stock issued following the vesting of PSUs on February 11, 2013, upon certification by the Compensation Committee of the achievement of certain cumulative performance metrics for the 2011 and 2012 fiscal years.
- (3) Stock units vesting on December 31, 2013. Each stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.
- (4) Represents shares reacquired by MSCI to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting and conversion to shares of 56,164 PSUs.

Reporting Owners 2

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