

SCHWEITZER MAUDUIT INTERNATIONAL INC  
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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 \*  
 Keenan Jeffrey

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 SCHWEITZER MAUDUIT INTERNATIONAL INC [SWM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/25/2016

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

C/O SCHWEITZER-MAUDUIT INTERNAT'L INC., 100 NORTH POINT CENTER EAST, SUITE 600

(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

ALPHARETTA, GA 30022

(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)	Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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)**

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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 (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
Phantom Stock Units <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 0	02/25/2016		A	255		08/08/1998 <sup>(2)</sup>	08/08/1998	SWM Common Stock	255
Phantom Stock Units <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 0	02/25/2016		A	238		08/08/1998 <sup>(2)</sup>	08/08/1998	SWM Common Stock	238

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Keenan Jeffrey  
C/O SCHWEITZER-MAUDUIT INTERNAT'L INC.  
100 NORTH POINT CENTER EAST, SUITE 600  
ALPHARETTA, GA 30022

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## Signatures

Honor Winks as attorney-in-fact for Jeffrey  
Keenan

02/26/2016

\_\_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) Director's quarterly stock retainer deferred pursuant to the Director's election in accordance with the Schweitzer-Mauduit International, Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan No. 2 for Non-Employee Directors (the "Plan"). The Plan was filed as Exhibit 10.15 to the 2004 10-K.

(2) Stock Units can be converted to cash upon the earlier of retirement from the Board or termination as a Director in accordance with the Plan. Conversion into cash is based on the fair market value of SWM common stock on the date of conversion.

(3) Director's quarterly meeting retainer and committee retainers deferred pursuant to the Director's election in accordance with the Plan.

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