Jilla Rustom Form 4 October 19, 2018

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See Instruction 1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Jilla Rustom

(First) (Middle)

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

(State)

(Street)

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

MELVILLE, NY US 11747

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol MSC INDUSTRIAL DIRECT CO

INC [MSM] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 10/17/2018

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or

> (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Code Disposed of (D)

Following Reported (A)

Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) 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)

1. Title of Derivative

Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

5. Number of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactiorDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities**

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

EVP & Chief Financial Officer

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(I)

(Instr. 4)

10% Owner Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

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(9-02)

Indirect

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

Issuer

below)

Director

Applicable Line)

5. Amount of

Securities

Owned

Beneficially

X_ Officer (give title

Estimated average

burden hours per

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options (right to buy) (1)	\$ 83.21	10/17/2018		A	24,021	(2)	10/16/2025	Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	24,021
Restricted Stock Unit	(3)	10/17/2018		A	4,957	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	4,957

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Jilla Rustom C/O MSC INDUSTRIAL DIRECT CO., INC. 75 MAXESS ROAD MELVILLE, NY US 11747

EVP & Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Rustom Jilla 10/19/2018

**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).
- (1) Represents options to purchase the Issuer's Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par value ("Common Stock").
- An option to purchase 24,021 shares of the Issuer's Common Stock was issued to the Reporting Person under the Issuer's 2015 Omnibus (2) Equity Plan. 6,005 shares of Common Stock become exercisable on each of October 17, 2019, October 17, 2020, and October 17, 2021, and 6,006 shares of Common Stock become exercisable on October 17, 2022.
- (3) Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of Common Stock.
- 991 of 4,957 RSUs granted on October 17, 2018 will vest on October 17, 2019, October 17, 2020, and October 17, 2021, and 992 RSUs
 (4) will vest on each of October 17, 2022, and October 17, 2023, provided that the Reporting Person remains continuously employed by the Issuer through each applicable vesting date. The vested shares will be delivered to the Reporting Person upon vesting.

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