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

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1(b). (Print or Type Responses)

| • | ng Person * | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MATTEL INC /DE/ [MAT] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | |
|----------|--|--|---|--|--|
| (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | | | |
| | | (Month/Day/Year) 04/30/2013 | Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP Treasurer | | |
| (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |
| | (First) C., 333 CAL BLVD. (Street) O, CA 90245 | (First) (Middle) C., 333 'AL BLVD. | NDANA Symbol MATTEL INC /DE/ [MAT] (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) C., 333 O4/30/2013 YAL BLVD. (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) O, CA 90245 | | |

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tabl | e I - Non-D | erivative | Secur | ities Acq | uired, Disposed o | 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price | | | Securities Form Beneficially (D) Owned Indi | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | 04/30/2013 | | M | Amount 9,763 | (D) | \$ 20.48 | 9,763 | D | |
| Common Stock | 04/30/2013 | | S | 9,763 | D | \$ 45 | 0 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 28,672 (1) | I | In trust |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 2,440 (2) | I | In 401(k) |

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 out Derivative 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 | ŕ | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Option - Right to Buy | \$ 20.48 | 04/30/2013 | | M | 9,763 | 08/01/2011 | 08/01/2018 | Common Stock | 9,763 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SADIGH MANDANA MATTEL, INC. 333 CONTINENTAL BLVD. EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245

SVP Treasurer

Signatures

/s/ Andrew Paalborg, Attorney-in-Fact for Mandana Sadigh

05/01/2013

**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).
- (1) The Ahmadi Family Trust, dated January 29, 1999.
- As of April 30, 2013 the reporting person had a balance of \$111,393.02 in the Mattel Stock Fund of Mattel's 401(k) Personal Investment Plan ("PIP"). The number of shares has been calculated by the plan administrator for the PIP.

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Reporting Owners 2

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