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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Ginegaw Lorrie Beth				2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MIDDLESEX WATER CO [MSEX]			
	(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	10/04/2012	,	4. Relationsh Person(s) to I	ip of Reporting		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
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	(Street)					(Check all applicable)		6. Individual or Joint/Group	
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	(City)	(State)	(Zip)		Table I - N	Non-Derivat	tive Securiti	es Be	neficially Owned
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and		4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	
		Title	Derivative	Security:	
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Date	Expiration	Amount or	or Indirect
Exercisable	Date	Number of	(I)
		Shares	(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	ctor 10% Owner Officer		Other			
Ginegaw Lorrie Beth 1500 RONSON ROAD ISELIN, NJ 08830	Â	Â	VP-Corporate Affairs	Â			
Signatures							
/s/Kenneth J. Quinn, Power of Attorney for Lorrie B. 10/04/2012 Ginegaw							
**Signature of Repo	Date						
Explanation of Responses:							

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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