MSC INDUSTRIAL DIRECT CO INC

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JACOBSON MITCHELL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

MSC INDUSTRIAL DIRECT CO INC [MSM]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/06/2012

X_ Director X 10% Owner _ Other (specify Officer (give title

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

(State)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

MELVILLE, NY 11747

| 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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3, | ispose | d of (D) 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|--------|----------------|--|--|---|
| | | | Code V | Amount | (D) | Price | (Instr. 5 und 1) | | |
| Class A | | | | | | \$ | | | |
| Common Stock | 11/06/2012 | | S | 6,000 | D | 72.21 (1) | 31,834 | D | |
| Class A | | | | | | | | | By Trust |

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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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exerc | cisable and | 7. Title | e and | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|--------|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transacti | onNumber | Expiration D | ate | Amour | nt of | Derivative | Deriv |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | Year) | Underl | ying | Security | Secui |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e | | Securit | ties | (Instr. 5) | Bene |
| | Derivative | | | | Securities | | | (Instr. : | 3 and 4) | | Owne |
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| | | | | C 1 W | (A) (D) | | | | of | | |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | , | Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| . 0 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| JACOBSON MITCHELL C/O MSC INDUSTRIAL DIRECT CO., INC. 75 MAXESS ROAD MELVILLE, NY 11747 | X | X | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ J. Robert Small, Attorney-in-Fact

**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).
- The price shown in Column 4 is a weighted average sale price. The price range for the sales is \$72.00 to \$72.52. The Reporting Person (1) undertakes to provide upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- Such shares are owned by trusts for the benefit of the Reporting Person's son, of which the Reporting Person's spouse is a Trustee. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by such trusts.

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