

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 * SCHAWK DAVID A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MATTHEWS INTERNATIONAL CORP [MATW]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2019			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
674 SKYE LANE			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					
(Street) BARRINGTON, IL 60010								
(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Class A Common Stock	02/11/2019		G	V	1,308	D	\$ 0	9,250	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/11/2019		G	V	1,308	A	\$ 0	194,513	I	As Trustee (1)
Class A Common Stock	11/01/2019		F(2)(3)		1,361	D	\$ 37.42	7,889	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/01/2019		C(4)		2,400	A	\$ 37.42	10,289	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/01/2019		F(2)(3)		585	D	\$ 37.42	9,704	D	

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)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Share Units	\$ 0	11/01/2019		C			2,400	(4)	(4)	Class A Common Stock	2,400.00	\$ 37.42	3,600	D	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SCHAWK DAVID A 674 SKYE LANE BARRINGTON, IL 60010	X			

Signatures

/s/ Brian D. Walters (Attorney-in-Fact)		11/05/2019
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) This report does not reflect shares held by an exempt section 501(c)(3) charitable trust for which the reporting person serves as trustee as the Reporting Person holds no pecuniary interest in the shares owned by the charitable trust.
- (2) Sale of Shares to the registrant to cover tax withholding on the vesting of restricted shares and restricted share units.
- (3) On November 1, 2019, retirement date, the time-based restricted shares and restricted share units related to the November 2017 and November 2018 awards, respectively, immediately vested. Performance-based shares and units related to those two awards remain unvested until those performance thresholds are met.
- (4) On November 1, 2019, retirement date, the time-based restricted share units converted into an equal number of shares of the Company's common stock.

Remarks:

The Power of Attorney dated November 17, 2017 was filed on February 23, 2018, in Form 4, and is incorporated herein by reference.

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