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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address o													
Name and Address of Reporting Person* Babe Gregory S.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MATTHEWS INTERNATIONAL CORP [MATW]					-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director X_ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chief Technology Officer				
(Last) (First) (Middle) TWO NORTHSHORE CENTER			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/18/2019							Chief	Technology	Officer	
(Street) PITTSBURGH, PA 15212			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	D	. Transaction Date Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquire (A) or Disposed of ((Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	Beneficia Reported	ant of Securities ally Owned Following d Transaction(s)		6. Ownership Form:	Beneficial
			(Month/Day/Year	Code	V	Amount	(A) or t (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		or (I)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common S	Stock 1	1/18/2019		F ⁽¹⁾		1,252	11)	\$ 34.77	36,624			D	
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			Derivative Securit	-	-				y Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Data	te, if Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	arrants, op 5.	6. Da and E (Mon		tible secu cisable on Date	7. Ti Amo Unde Secu	tle and unt of erlying rities r. 3 and		9. Number Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactior (Instr. 4)	of 10. Owners: Form of Derivati Security Direct (i	Ownersh (Instr. 4)

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	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Babe Gregory S. TWO NORTHSHORE CENTER PITTSBURGH, PA 15212	X		Chief Technology Officer				

Signatures

/s/ Brian D. Walters (Attorney-in-Fact)	11/20/2019
**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) Sale of Shares to the registrant to cover tax withholding on the vesting of restricted shares.

Remarks

The Power of Attorney dated November 22, 2017 was filed on January 23, 2018, in Form 4, and is incorporated herein by reference.

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