

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
<u>Gackenbach Steven D</u>	<u>MATTHEWS INTERNATIONAL CORP [</u>	Director 10% Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle)	<u>MATW]</u>	☒ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
<u>TWO NORTSHORE CENTER</u>	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	<u>EVP, Group Pres, Memorial</u>
(Street)	<u>11/20/2025</u>	
<u>PITTSBURGH PA 15212</u>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
(City) (State) (Zip)		☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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	11/20/2025		M ⁽¹⁾		13,800	A	\$0	117,944	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/20/2025		F ⁽²⁾		6,002	D	\$25.1	111,942	D	

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 of 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (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: 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	11/20/2025		M			6,900	(1)	(1)	Class A Common Stock	13,800 ⁽¹⁾	\$0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. On November 20, 2025, the vesting date, the return on invested capital performance-based restricted share units converted into shares of the Company's Class A common stock at a rate of 200%.
2. Sale of shares to the registrant to cover tax withholding on the vesting of restricted share units.

Remarks:

The Power of Attorney dated September 10, 2025 was filed on November 18, 2025, in Form 4, and is incorporated herein by reference.

/s/ Brian D. Walters (Attorney-in-Fact) 11/24/2025

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* 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).

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