

ZAPICO DAVID A
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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 *
ZAPICO DAVID A

(Last) (First) (Middle)
37 NORTH VALLEY ROAD, BUILDING 4
(Street)

PAOLI, PA 19301-0801

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
AMETEK INC/ [AME]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
05/27/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 (D) Price			
Common Stock	05/27/2005		M	5,300 A \$ 13.1425	52,832	D	
Common Stock	05/27/2005		S	200 D \$ 38.9	52,632	D	
Common Stock	05/27/2005		S	100 D \$ 39.03	52,532	D	
Common Stock	05/27/2005		S	5,000 D \$ 39.06	47,532	D	
Common Stock/SERP					4,031.34	D	

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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)	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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 18.0625					05/20/2004 05/19/2010	Common Stock	32,000
Stock Option	\$ 18.82					05/22/2003 05/21/2009	Common Stock	32,000
Stock Option	\$ 26.175					05/18/2005 05/17/2011	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Option	\$ 30.405					09/22/2005 09/21/2011	Common Stock	18,800
Stock Option	\$ 37.93					04/27/2006 04/26/2012	Common Stock	15,210
Stock Option	\$ 13.1425	05/27/2005		M	5,300	05/22/2002 05/21/2008	Common Stock	5,300

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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Signatures

DAVID A.
ZAPICO 05/31/2005

__Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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