

SPOERRY ROBERT F  
Form 4  
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**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 \*  
SPOERRY ROBERT F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
METTLER TOLEDO  
INTERNATIONAL INC/ [MTD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

IM LANGACHER, CH-8606  
GREIFENSEE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/13/2005

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Chairman, President and CEO

(Street)

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

SWITZERLAND

(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)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/13/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>	1,400 A	\$ 7.95 348,226	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/13/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>	1,400 D	\$ 57.9271 346,826	D	
	12/13/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>	18,100 A	\$ 7.95 364,926	D	

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Common  
Stock, par  
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12/13/2005

S<sup>(1)</sup>

18,100

D

\$ 58.07

346,826

D

17,778 <sup>(2)</sup>

I

Held by  
spouse

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)	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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.95	12/13/2005		M	1,400	10/15/1997 <sup>(3)</sup> 10/15/2006	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share 1,400
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.95	12/13/2005		M	18,100	10/15/1997 <sup>(3)</sup> 10/15/2006	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share 18,100

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SPOERRY ROBERT F IM LANGACHER CH-8606 GREIFENSEE SWITZERLAND	X		Chairman, President and CEO	

## Signatures

James Bellerjeau, Attorney in Fact	12/15/2005
<u>    </u> **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) The transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 3, 2005.
  - (2) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report should not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
  - (3) The options vested annually in five equal installments beginning on October 15, 1997.

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