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OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading SCHAWK DAVID A Issuer Symbol MATTHEWS INTERNATIONAL (Check all applicable) CORP [MATW] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X_ Director 10% Owner X___Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 674 SKYE LANE 11/23/2015 President, Brand Solutions (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting BARRINGTON, IL 60010 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	3. 4. Securities Acquired		quired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transa	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)				Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)				Owned	(D) or	Ownership
								Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
						(A)		Reported	(Instr. 4)	
						or		Transaction(s)		
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Class A										A -
Common	11/23/2015		G	V	16,000	D	\$0	270,994	Ι	As (1)
Stock					-)		1 -)		Trustee (1)
Class A							\$			As
Common	12/01/2015		S		12,675	D	Ψ 50.06	270,994	Ι	Trustee (1)
Stock							39.90			Trustee <u>(-)</u>
Class A										
Class A			~			_	\$		_	As
Common	12/02/2015		S		12,325	D	59.95	270,994	Ι	Trustee (1)
Stock							57.75			

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	int of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	rlying	Security	Secu
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Owne
	Security				Acquired						Follo
	•				(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number		
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Addres	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SCHAWK DAVID A 674 SKYE LANE BARRINGTON, IL 60010	Х		President, Brand Solutions				
Signatures							
David A.	12/02/2015						

Schawk	12/03/2015			
<u>**Signature of</u>	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 a tax 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.

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