

# FORM 4

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP  
OF SECURITIES**

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Section 17(a) of the Public  
Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the  
Investment Company Act of 1940

<b>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</b>  <b>MUSIAL THOMAS G</b>  (Last) (First) (Middle)  <b>2400 SOUTH 44TH STREET</b>  (Street)  <b>MANITOWOC, WI 54221-0066</b>  (City) (State) (Zip)	<b>2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</b>  <b>MANITOWOC CO INC [ MTW ]</b>	<b>5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Director <span style="float:right"><input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner</span> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <span style="float:right"><input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)</span> <b>Sr. VP Human Resources</b>
<b>3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)</b>  <p align="center"><b>9/13/2004</b></p>		<b>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
<b>4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)</b>  		

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans. Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Trans. 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			
Common Stock	9/13/2004		M		8000	A	\$19.5	26585.2815 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	9/13/2004		S		8000	D	\$35.0166 <sup>(2)</sup>	18585.2815 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock								5121.73 <sup>(3)</sup>	I	RSVP 401k Plan

**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned ( e.g. , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans. 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		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 of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date				
Emp Stock Option (right to buy)	\$19.5	9/13/2004		M		8000	10/17/2002	10/17/2010	Common Stock	8000	\$19.5	40800	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- (1) Includes amount and price of shares acquired in exempt transactions pursuant to a Shareholder Dividend Reinvestment Plan.
- (2) Average price of shares sold, with the sale price ranging from \$35.00 to \$35.10 per share.
- (3) Consists of shares held under the Company's 401(k) plan, The Manitowoc Company, Inc. RSVP Profit Sharing Plan, including 43,244 shares acquired in transactions occurring between 12/31/02 and 12/31/03, which are exempt from Section 16(b) pursuant to Rule 16b-3 and exempt from reporting pursuant to Rule 16a-3(f)(1)(i)(B). The information in this report is based on a plan statement dated as of 12/31/03. From time to time the plan administrator collects maintenance fees related to the RSVP Plan, which may result in the number of shares held by a participant in the RSVP Plan declining by a marginal amount.

**Reporting Owners**

	Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MUSIAL THOMAS G 2400 SOUTH 44TH STREET MANITOWOC, WI 54221-0066			Sr. VP Human Resources	

**Signatures**

Maurice D. Jones, by Power of Attorney

9/14/2004

\*\* 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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