

HANSEN JOHN B  
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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 \*  
HANSEN JOHN B

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
8285 TOURNAMENT DRIVE  
SUITE 150  
  
(Street)

MEMPHIS, TN 38125

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
MUELLER INDUSTRIES INC [mli]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
08/12/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
President, Plumbing Business

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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   |
| Common Stock                    | 08/12/2011                           |  | M                              |   | 2,490   | A  | \$ 16.615   |
| Common Stock                    | 08/12/2011                           |  | M                              |   | 3,735   | A  | \$ 20.718   |
| Common Stock                    | 08/12/2011                           |  | M                              |   | 3,600   | A  | \$ 26.485   |
| Common Stock                    | 08/12/2011                           |  | M                              |   | 2,800   | A  | \$ 23.825   |
| Common Stock                    | 08/12/2011                           |  | M                              |   | 1,556   | A  | \$ 20.403   |

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Common Stock      08/12/2011      F      598      D      \$ 40.415      35,633      D

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable      Expiration Date                    | Title   |                            |
| Employee Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)       | \$ 16.615  | 08/12/2011                           |  | M                              | 2,490   | <u>(1)</u> 02/10/2013                                    | Common Stock  | 2,490                      |
| Employee Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)       | \$ 20.718  | 08/12/2011                           |  | M                              | 3,735   | <u>(2)</u> 02/10/2014                                    | Common Stock  | 3,735                      |
| Employee Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)       | \$ 26.485  | 08/12/2011                           |  | M                              | 118   | <u>(3)</u> 07/25/2018                                    | Common Stock  | 118                        |
| Employee Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)       | \$ 26.485  | 08/12/2011                           |  | M                              | 3,482   | <u>(4)</u> 07/25/2018                                    | Common Stock  | 3,482                      |
| Employee Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)       | \$ 23.825  | 08/12/2011                           |  | M                              | 205   | <u>(5)</u> 07/30/2019                                    | Common Stock  | 205                        |
| Employee Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)       | \$ 23.825  | 08/12/2011                           |  | M                              | 2,595   | <u>(6)</u> 07/30/2019                                    | Common Stock  | 2,595                      |
| Employee Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)       | \$ 20.403  | 08/12/2011                           |  | M                              | 1,556   | <u>(7)</u> 02/13/2012                                    | Common Stock  | 1,556                      |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                              |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|------------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                      | Other |
| HANSEN JOHN B<br>8285 TOURNAMENT DRIVE SUITE 150<br>MEMPHIS, TN 38125 |               |           | President, Plumbing Business |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Anthony Steinriede,  
Attorney-in-fact

08/16/2011

\_\_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) Exercisable as follows: 1,245 on 2/10/07; 1,245 on 2/10/08
- (2) Exercisable as follows: 1,245 on 2/10/07; 1,245 on 2/10/08; 1,245 on 2/10/09
- (3) Exercisable as follows: 118 on 7/25/11
- (4) Exercisable as follows: 1,200 on 7/25/09; 1,200 on 7/25/10; 1,082 on 7/25/11
- (5) Exercisable as follows: 94 on 7/30/10; 111 on 7/30/11
- (6) Exercisable as follows: 1,306 on 7/30/10; 1,289 on 7/30/11
- (7) Exercisable as follows: 1,556 on 2/13/07

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