FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* duPont Benjamin F | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MSCI Inc. [MSCI] | | | | | | | | | | nship of Reportir applicable) Director | 10% | Owner |
|---|---|--|--|-------------------------|--|--|---|------|------------------------------------|-----|--|---|-----------------|---|---|---|--|-------------------|
| (Last) MSCI IN | | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/30/2017 | | | | | | | | | Officer (give title elow) | Othe belo | er (specify w) |
| 7 WORLD TRADE CENTER, 250 GREENWICH ST. | | | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) | | | | |
| (Street) NEW YORK NY 10007 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | F | Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
| (City) | (St | ate) (| Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Tabl | e I - Nor | -Deriv | ative | Se | curitie | s Ac | quired, | Dis | posed o | f, o | r Ben | eficia | ally Ov | vned | | |
| Date | | | | e E nth/Day/Year) if | | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | Transaction Dis | | Securities Acquired (A) posed Of (D) (Instr. 3, | | | nd Se Be Ow | Amount of curities neficially vned Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | | (A) or (D) | Price | Tra | ported ansaction(s) str. 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock 11/30/ | | | | | /2017 | 7 | | | | | 9(1) | | A | \$0. | 00 | 23,195 | D | |
| | | Та | ıble II - C | | | | | | | | sed of, onvertib | | | | y Own | ed | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day | Date, Transac | | | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D | е | Ame Sec Und Der Sec | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) | | 8. Price Derivati Security (Instr. 5) | ve derivative Securities | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisal | | Expiration Date | Title | or Nui of | nber | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares acquired by the Reporting Person in connection with MSCI Inc.'s payment of a dividend. Pursuant to the MSCI Inc. Non-Employee Directors Deferral Plan, the Reporting Person has elected to defer receipt of the shares until the 60th day after such Reporting Person's "separation from service" as a director.

Remarks:

/s/ Cecilia Aza, attorney-in-fact 12/01/2017

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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