FORM 4

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| Instruc | ction 1(b). | | | | | inv | estme | nt Com | pany A | Act of | 1940 | J | | | | | | |
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| (Print or Typ | e Responses |) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Name and Address of Reporting Person SEABERG LAIDACKER M | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MGP INGREDIENTS INC [MGPI] | | | | | | | | 5 | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/08/2009 | | | | | | | | | Officer (give title below) X Other (specify below) Consultant to Board | | | | | |
| (Street) | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| (City) (State) (Zip) | | | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu | | | | | | | | | ired, 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) | | if Code (Instr. | (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Ber Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | d C | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
| | | | Co | | | | | de | V Am | nount | (A) or (D) | Price | , | | | | | |
| Common | Stock | | | 12/08/2009 | | | | N | 1 | 48 | ,000 | A S | \$ 4 | 799,252 | | | Ι | By Trust |
| Common Stock 12 | | | 12/08/2009 | | | | S | | 25 | ,374 | 11) | \$ 7.3003 | 773,878 | 73,878 | | I | By Trust | |
| Common Stock 12/09/ | | | 12/09/2009 | | | | S | | 9,8 | 326 | D | (1) | 764,052 | | | I | By Trust | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | ise (Month/Day/Year) ve | | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if | | (e.g., puts, calls, w 4. 5. Nun Transaction of Dei Code Securi (Instr. 8) Acqui or Dis of (D) | | warrant Jumber Derivative urities juired (A) Disposed D) tr. 3, 4, | 6. Dat Expiration | ons, con te Exerc ation Da | isposed of, or Benefi, convertible securiti Exercisable and on Date Day/Year) | | 7. Title of Und Securit | | | 9. Number Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction | Owners Form of Derivat Securit Direct or India | Ownershi (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | | de | V (A) | | Date Exerc | isable | Exp Dat | piration te | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4 | 1) |
| Stock Options - Non- Qualified | \$ 4 | \$ 4 12/08/2009 | | | M | 1 | | 48,000 | 12/09 | 9/2003 | 3 12/ | /09/2009 | Comr Stoo | | \$ 0 | 0 | D | |
| Repor | ting O | wners | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Reporting Owner Name / | | | | Relationships | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Otl | her | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SEABERG LAIDACKER M | | | | | Co | ncultai | nt to Bo | ard | | | | | | | | | | |

Signatures

| Laidacker M. Seaberg | 12/11/2009 |
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| **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) 9,626 shares sold for \$7.12; 200 shares sold for \$7.26.

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