

Brotherton Michael  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Brotherton Michael		(Month/Day/Year)	METHODE ELECTRONICS INC [MEI]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	09/13/2018	
7401 W. WILSON AVENUE			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
CHICAGO,Â ILÂ 60706			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
			(give title below) (specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
			VP Methode & President, Grakon	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	54,000	D	Â
Common Stock <sup>(2)</sup>	16,800	D	Â
Common Stock <sup>(3)</sup>	11,262	D	Â
Common Stock	458	I	Methode 401(k) Plan

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying	4. Conversion	5. Ownership	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
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(Month/Day/Year)		Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	Ownership (Instr. 5)
Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
07/07/2017	07/07/2024	Common Stock	1,668	\$ 37.01	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Brotherton Michael 7401 W. WILSON AVENUE CHICAGO, IL 60706	Â	Â	Â VP Methode & President, Grakon	Â

## Signatures

Ronald L.G. Tsoumas as "Attorney-in-Fact" for Michael S. Brotherton 09/25/2018

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Restricted stock granted under the terms of the Methode Electronics, Inc. 2014 Omnibus Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). The restricted stock is eligible to be earned based on the Company's fiscal 2020 EBITDA, as adjusted.
- (2) Restricted stock units granted under the terms of the Plan. The restricted stock units vest 30% on 04/28/2018, 30% on 04/27/2019 and 40% on 05/02/2020.
- (3) Shares purchased with periodic payroll withholding, company contribution and/or quarterly dividends received on Methode common stock held in the Methode 401(k) Plan.

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