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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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Name and Address of Report Prajzner Edward J	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 01/05/2018 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Mistras Group, Inc. [MG]												
(Last) (First) C/O MISTRAS GROUP				X Officer (give title below)			10% Owner Other (specify below)		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)				
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(Street)				Sr. VP, CFO and Treasurer					X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
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Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned.

/s/ Michael C. Keefe, attorney-01/09/2018 in-fact for Edward J. Prajzner

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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The undersigned, being a person required to file reports pursuant to Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act") regarding the undersigned's beneficial ownership of equity securities in Mistras Group, Inc. (the "Company"), hereby constitutes and appoints each of Michael C. Keefe and Jason Butch, signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) prepare, execute in the undersigned?s name and on the undersigned's behalf, and submit to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") a Form ID, including amendments thereto, and any other documents necessary or appropriate to obtain codes and passwords enabling the undersigned to make electronic filings with the SEC of reports required by Section 16(a) of the Exchange Actor any rule or regulation of the SEC;
- (2) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, as a Section 16 reporting person of the Company, Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act and the rules thereunder, and any other forms or reports the undersigned may be required to file in connection with the undersigned's ownership, acquisition, or disposition of securities of the Company;
- (3) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, or 5, or other form or report, and timely file such form or report with the SEC and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (4) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powersherein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Exchange Act.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact. This Power of Attorney supersedes and revokes all previous Powers of Attorney regarding the undersigned?s obligations under Section 16 of the Exchange Act in connection with the undersigned?s beneficial ownership of equity securities in the Company.

Dated: January 8, 2018