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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Gomez Alfredo Issuer Symbol EMCORE CORP [EMKR] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title 10420 RESEARCH ROAD SE 12/06/2012 below) Gen. Counsel and Corp. Sec. (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting ALBUQUERQUE, NM 87123 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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)
Common Stock	12/06/2012		M	2,000	A	<u>(1)</u>	31,594 (2)	D	
Common Stock	12/07/2012		S(3)	891	D	\$ 3.9603 (4)	30,703 (2)	D	
Common Stock							2,471 <u>(5)</u>	I	By 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 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)	4. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Property Section (Institute of Section (I
			Code V	ŕ	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(6)</u>	12/06/2012	M	2,000	<u>(7)</u>	(8)	Common Stock	2,000	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships			
Reporting Owner Name / Address				

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Gomez Alfredo 10420 RESEARCH ROAD SE

10420 RESEARCH ROAD SE Gen. Counsel and Corp. Sec. ALBUQUERQUE, NM 87123

Signatures

/s/Alfredo Gomez 12/10/2012

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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).
- Each restricted stock unit represented a contingent right to receive one share of Emcore common stock. Restricted stock units were payable, at the election of the Issuer, in cash, Emcore common stock, or a combination of the two. On December 6, 2012, the Issuer settled the restricted stock units in common stock.
- Includes 8,333 shares of restricted stock vesting as follows: 4,167 shares of restricted stock will vest on January 28, 2012 and 4,166 (2) shares of restricted stock will vest on January 28, 2013; and 8,334 shares of restricted stock vesting in two equal annual installments beginning on May 3, 2013.
- All sales were effected pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan previously adopted by the Reporting Person to satisfy the Reporting Person's tax

 (3) liability in connection with the vesting of shares of restricted stock that were granted under the Company's 2010 Equity Incentive Plan, which grant was exempt from Section 16b pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).

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- Reflects aggregate reporting of multiple open market transactions. The price reported is the weighted average sale price of sales ranging (4) from \$3.91 to \$4.2112 per share. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price.
- (5) Shares attributable to EMCORE Corporation 401(k) account as of September 30, 2012.
- (6) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Emcore common stock. Restricted stock units are payable, at the election of the issuer, in cash, Emcore common stock, or a combination of the two.
- (7) 2,000 restricted stock units vested on December 6, 2012.
 - Remaining unvested restricted stock units vest in two equal annual installments commencing on December 6, 2013. Not later than 30
- (8) days after vesting occurs, vested shares of Emcore common stock, an amount in cash equal to their fair market value or a combination of both will be delivered to the reporting person.
- (9) The restricted stock units were awarded to the reporting person for no cash or other similar consideration.

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