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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Addr RITTICHIER J	*	ng Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EMCORE CORP [EMKR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
2015 W. CHESTNUT STREET		REET	(Month/Day/Year) 01/05/2015	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
ALHAMBRA, CA 91803			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, 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. 4. Securiti Transactionor Dispose Code (Instr. 3, 4) (Instr. 8)		` ′		Beneficially Form Owned Direct Following or Inc Reported (I)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	wnership Indirect orm: Beneficial irect (D) Ownership Indirect (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/05/2015		A	75,000 (1)	A	(<u>2</u>)	75,000	D	
Common Stock	01/06/2015		S(3)	29,563	D	\$ 5.18	45,437	D	
Common Stock	01/06/2015		S(3)	475	D	\$ 5.2292	44,962	D	

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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>	11/05/2015		A	225,000	(5)	<u>(5)</u>	Emcore Common Stock	225,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RITTICHIER JEFFREY 2015 W. CHESTNUT STREET ALHAMBRA, CA 91803

Chief Executive Officer

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey

Rittichier 01/06/2015

**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).
- These shares were issued as part of a 300,000 restricted stock unit grant under the Company's 2012 Equity Incentive Plan in a transaction (1) exempt from Section 16b pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d). This entry represents a portion of the total grant of restricted stock units that vested immediately and was settled in common stock on the grant date.
- (2) The shares of common stock were awarded to the Reporting Person for no cash or other similar consideration.
- (3) All sales were effected by the reporting person to satisfy the Reporting Person's tax liability in connection with the granting of restricted stock units under the Company's 2012 Equity Incentive Plan, which grant was exempt from Section 16b pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).
- (4) 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.
- Vests in three equal annual installments commencing on January 5, 2016. Not later than 30 days after vesting occurs, vested shares of

 (5) Emcore common stock, an amount in cash equal to their fair market value or a combination of the two will be delivered to the Reporting Person
- (6) The restricted stock units were awarded to the Reporting Person for no cash or other similar consideration.

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Reporting Owners 2

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