

Hanson Rodney Dale  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Hanson Rodney Dale

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
EMC INSURANCE GROUP INC  
[EMCI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

EMPLOYERS MUTUAL  
CASUALTY COMPANY, 717  
MULBERRY STREET

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/01/2019

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Sr. Vice President

(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 Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

DES MOINES, IA 50309

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, 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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
EMCI-Common Stock	03/01/2019		C	V Amount (A) or (D) 1,126 A	\$ 31.825	16,355	D
EMCI-Common Stock	03/01/2019		F	748 D	\$ 31.825	15,607	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative 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)		8. Amount or Number of Shares	9. Dollar Amount of Transaction (Instr. 9)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	03/01/2019		C		563		03/01/2018	<sup>(3)</sup>	Common Stock	563	\$
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	03/01/2019		C		563		03/01/2019	<sup>(4)</sup>	Common Stock	563	\$
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	03/01/2019		A		2,252		03/01/2020	<sup>(5)</sup>	Common Stock	2,252	\$

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hanson Rodney Dale EMPLOYERS MUTUAL CASUALTY COMPANY 717 MULBERRY STREET DES MOINES, IA 50309			Sr. Vice President	

## Signatures

Rodney D.  
Hanson

                     \*\*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) Restricted stock units convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis.

(2) FMV on conversion date was \$31.8250

(3) On March 1, 2017, the reporting person was granted 2,252 restricted stock units, vesting at 25% per year beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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- (4) On March 1, 2018, the reporting person was granted 2252 restricted stock units vesting at 25% per year beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.
- (5) On March 1, 2019, the reporting person was granted 2,252 restricted stock units, vesting at 25% per year beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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