

HOU HONG Q
Form 4
January 08, 2009

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 *
HOU HONG Q

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O EMCORE
CORPORATION, 10420
RESEARCH ROAD, SE

(Street)

ALBUQUERQUE,, NM 89123

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
EMCORE CORP [EMKR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/24/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify
below) CEO & President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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)
				(A) or (D)			
			Code	V	Amount		Price

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount Underlying Security
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.63	12/24/2008	D			35,000	<u>(1)</u>	05/18/2014	Common Stock	35,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.89	12/24/2008	A			35,000	<u>(2)</u>	05/18/2014	Common Stock	35,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HOU HONG Q C/O EMCORE CORPORATION 10420 RESEARCH ROAD, SE ALBUQUERQUE,, NM 89123	X		CEO & President	

Signatures

/s/ Hong Q. Hou 01/08/2009

Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) The reporting person agreed to cancellation of an option granted on May 18, 2004, in exchange for a new option having a higher exercise price and a cash payment. Pursuant to an issuer tender offer described in the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO filed with the Commission on November 19, 2008, as amended on December 18, 2008, (the "Tender Offer"), the options were tendered in exchange for a new option having a higher exercise price but the same vesting schedule and payment of \$0.26 per underlying share of Common Stock.

(2) The option vested in 4 equal installments on the first 4 anniversaries following the original grant date on May 18, 2004.

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