

Larocca Christopher M
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ^ Larocca Christopher M (Last) (First) (Middle)		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 05/29/2009	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EMCORE CORP [EMKR]	
C/O EMCORE CORPORATION, ^ 10420 RESEARCH ROAD SE (Street)		(Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) Chief Operating Officer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
ALBUQUERQUE, ^ NM ^ 87123 (City) (State) (Zip)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	7,819	D	^
Common Stock	7,209 ⁽¹⁾	I	401K 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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security	4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (2)	05/19/2014	Common Stock	40,000	\$ 2.93	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (3)	02/28/2015	Common Stock	13,000	\$ 3	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	12/29/2005	12/29/2015	Common Stock	1,326	\$ 7.32	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (4)	03/10/2016	Common Stock	12,000	\$ 7.95	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (5)	04/05/2016	Common Stock	2,000	\$ 9.75	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (6)	08/28/2016	Common Stock	7,000	\$ 7.29	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (7)	03/29/2017	Common Stock	30,000	\$ 4.98	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (8)	09/25/2017	Common Stock	30,000	\$ 8.78	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (9)	05/19/2018	Common Stock	75,000	\$ 8.38	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (10)	02/27/2019	Common Stock	30,000	\$ 0.69	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Larocca Christopher M C/O EMCORE CORPORATION 10420 RESEARCH ROAD SE ALBUQUERQUE, NM 87123	Â	Â	Â Chief Operating Officer	Â

Signatures

/s/ Christopher M. Larocca 06/04/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) As of 06/02/2009, the most recent available information.
- (2) 25% annually on the anniversary of grant beginning 05/19/2004
- (3) 25% annually on the anniversary of grant beginning 02/28/2005
- (4) 25% annually on the anniversary of grant beginning 03/10/2006
- (5) 25% annually on the anniversary of grant beginning 04/05/2006
- (6) 25% annually on the anniversary of grant beginning 08/28/2006
- (7) 25% annually on the anniversary of grant beginning 03/29/2007
- (8) 25% annually on the anniversary of grant beginning 09/25/2007
- (9) 25% annually on the anniversary of grant beginning 05/19/2008
- (10) 25% annually on the anniversary of grant beginning 02/27/2009

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