### FORM 4

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

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# Washington, D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*		2. Issuer Nam	ne and Tic	ker or Tra	ading Symbol		6. Re	elationship of Reporting Pe (Check all a		
Prueher, Joseph W.		Emerso	n Electi	ic Co.	— EMR		<u>X</u> [	Officer (give title below)	10% Owner Other (specify b	elow)
(Last) (First) (Middle)  126 Pinewood Road		3. I.R.S. Iden Number of Person, if a (Voluntary)	Reporting in entity	;	4. Statement for Month/Day/Year February 6, 20	003		Officer (give the below)	Outer (specify 0	ciow)
(Street)  Virginia Beach, VA 23451					5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)		(C X	dividual or Joint/Group Fil Check Applicable Line) C Form filed by One Repor Form filed by More than	ting Person	1
(City) (State) (Zip)					Table I Non-Deriva	tive See	curities Acquired,	, Disposed of, or Beneficia	illy Owned	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/ Day/	3. Transac Code (Instr. 8		4. Securities Acquired or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	(A)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
		Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Trans- action(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(IIISU. 4)	
Common Stock	2/4/03		A(1)		1,799	Α	46.90	3,083	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)			5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exerciand Expira Date (Mont Year)	sable ation h/Day/	7. Title and Amo of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reported Trans- action(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	I1. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	Exerci-	Expira- tion Date		Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Grant to reporting person of 1,799 shares of restricted stock having a fair market value of \$46.90 per share on the date of grant pursuant to a compensation plan for non-employee Directors.

/s/ Harley M. Smith	2/6/03
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<sup>\*</sup> If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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#### APPENDIX A

## FORM 4 POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of W. J. Galvin, W. W. Withers, H. M. Smith, and D.J. Rabe and their successors in office and designees, signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) execute and file for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Emerson Electric Co.(the "Company"), Forms 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

/s/ Joseph W. Prueher
Signature
Joseph W. Prueher

Print Name

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 28th day of August, 2002.