FORM 4

#### **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address MONSER ED	of Reporting Person* WARD L		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EMERSON ELECTRIC CO [ EMR ]		ionship of Reporting Person all applicable) Director Officer (give title	10% Owner Other (specify
(Last) EMERSON ELEC 8000 W. FLORIS		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/03/2003		Chief Operating	below) g Officer
(Street) ST. LOUIS MO 63136  (City) (State) (Zip)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi	dual or Joint/Group Filing ( Form filed by One Repor Form filed by More than	ting 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)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/03/2003		F		6,490(1)	D	\$57.205 <sup>(2)</sup>	50,399	D	
Common Stock								164	I	401(k) plan
Common Stock								260	I	401(k) excess plan

# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transac Code (li 8)	saction Derivative E		Expiration Da	(Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		derivative Securities Beneficially Owned	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares withheld for taxes upon vesting of previously-reported stock grant under shareholder-approved benefit plan pursuant to Rule 16b-3.
- 2. Average of high and low NYSE prices on date of the vesting described in Note 1.

/s/ Harley M. Smith, Attorney-infact for Edward L. Monser

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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).

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