FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>EMERSON ELECTRIC CO</u> [EMR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
BERGES JAME	<u>50</u>		[]	X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last) ((First)	(Middle)		x	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
EMERSON ELECTI	EMERSON ELECTRIC CO. 8000 W. FLORISSANT		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/05/2004	President					
(Street) ST. LOUIS MO 63136		63136	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi X	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Che Form filed by One Reporting Form filed by More than On	g Person			
(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	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	- Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	10/05/2004		G ⁽¹⁾	v	2,000 ⁽¹⁾	D	(2)	250,974	D	
Common Stock								4,583	Ι	401(k) plan
Common Stock								4,867	I	401(k) excess plan
Common Stock								2,712	Ι	Son- Custodial
Common Stock								36,286	Ι	Spouse

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

, , , , ,	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect 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. Bona fide gift by the Reporting Person to the Emerson Directors' and Officers' Charitable Trust.

2. Price is not applicable to acquisitions or dispositions resulting from bona fide gifts.

/s/ Harley M. Smith, Attorney-infact for James G. Berges

10/07/2004

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

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

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