

PETERS CHARLES A
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PETERS CHARLES A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O EMERSON ELECTRIC
CO., 8000 W. FLORISSANT AVE.

(Street)

ST. LOUIS, MO 63136

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

EMERSON ELECTRIC CO [EMR]

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

12/27/2012

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)
Sr. Exec. VP

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	12/27/2012		M ⁽¹⁾		80,000 <u>(1)</u>	A	\$ 30.025 754,940 D
Common Stock	12/27/2012		F ⁽²⁾		13,318 <u>(2)</u>	D	\$ 52.47 741,622 D
Common Stock						I	7,868.522 401(k) plan
Common Stock						I	10,168.463 401(k) excess 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 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)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 30.025	12/27/2012		M ⁽¹⁾	80,000 ⁽¹⁾	02/19/2010 ⁽³⁾ 02/19/2019	Common Stock 80,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PETERS CHARLES A C/O EMERSON ELECTRIC CO. 8000 W. FLORISSANT AVE. ST. LOUIS, MO 63136	X		Sr. Exec. VP	

Signatures

/s/ Timothy G. Westman, Attorney-in-Fact for Charles A. Peters 12/31/2012

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Exercise of 6,660 incentive stock options and 73,340 non-qualified stock options exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- (2) Shares withheld for taxes exempt under Rule 16b-3 resulting from non-qualified stock option exercise.
- (3) The options vested in three equal annual installments beginning on the date indicated.
- (4) Price is not applicable to stock options received as incentive compensation.

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