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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement EMCORE CORP [EMKR] A Wojciechowski David (Month/Day/Year) 03/16/2017 Gregory (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 2015 W. CHESTNUT STREET (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Director 10% Owner _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Officer Other Person ALHAMBRA, CAÂ 91803 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One Vice President, Sales Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

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

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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 (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	

					(Instr. 5)	
Restricted Stock Units (1)	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	17,614 (1) \$ 0 (1)	D (1)	Â
Performance-Based Restricted Stock Units (PSUs) (2)	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	7,211 (2) \$ 0 (2)	D (2)	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Transfer of the same	Director	10% Owner Officer		Other		
Wojciechowski David Gregory 2015 W. CHESTNUT STREET ALHAMBRA, CA 91803	Â	Â	Vice President, Sales	Â		

Signatures

Mark A. Gordon, attorney in fact 03/17/2017

**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).
- Includes (a) 6,939 shares of restricted stock that vest 3,470 shares on June 29, 2017 and 3,469 shares that vest on June 29, 2018; (b) 5,037 (1) shares of restricted stock that vest 1,260 shares on December 14, 2017 and 1,259 shares on December 14, 2018, 2019 and 2020; and (c) 5,638 shares of restricted stock that vest in two equal annual installments beginning on February 16, 2018.
- Includes 7,211 of target restricted performance stock units ("PSUs") that vest on December 14, 2019. The PSUs issued will vest based on a combination of the relative total shareholder return of EMCORE's stock compared to the Russell Microcap Index and the employee's continued employment. The total number of shares to be issued may range from zero (0) to 200% of the target PSUs granted.

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