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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Glisson Britton L. Issuer Symbol MARKEL CORP [MKL] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify C/O MARKEL 12/19/2013 below) CORPORATION, 4521 Chief Administrative Officer HIGHWOODS PARKWAY (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting GLEN ALLEN, VA 23060 Person (City) (State) (Zin)

(City)	(State) (A	Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed (of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	ΓransactionAcquired (A) or			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of (D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
				(4)			Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common	12/19/2013		G	36	D	\$ 0	12,727.732 (1)	D	
Stock	12/19/2013		U	30	D	\$ 0	12,727.732 (5)	D	
Common							(2)	_	401(K)
Stock							$1,354 \frac{(2)}{}$	I	Plan (3)
									_
Common							702	I	By Spouse
Stock							702	1	(4)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	5
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
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	Security				Acquired						J
					(A) or						J
					Disposed						7
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
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						Exercisable Date	Title				
				C 1 W	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting 6 (liter 1 times) 1 times 6	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Glisson Britton L. C/O MARKEL CORPORATION 4521 HIGHWOODS PARKWAY GLEN ALLEN, VA 23060			Chief Administrative Officer				

Signatures

/s/ Donna L. Strauss, Attorney-in-fact for Britton L. 02/06/2014 Glisson

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- 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).

Plan that will vest, subject to certain conditions, on May 13, 2016; 770 restricted stock units awarded pursuant to the Markel Corporation 2012 Equity Incentive Compensation Plan and the Markel Corporation Omnibus Incentive Plan, as applicable, that will vest, subject to certain conditions, on December 31, 2017; 1,668 restricted stock units granted pursuant to the Markel

The total includes 761 restricted stock units awarded pursuant to the Markel Corporation 2012 Equity Incentive Compensation

- **(1)** Corporation Omnibus Incentive Plan that will vest, subject to certain conditions, on May 10, 2015; and 960 restricted stock units granted pursuant to the Markel Corporation Omnibus Incentive Plan, of which 710 units will vest on December 31, 2015 and 250 units will vest on February 21, 2017.
- **(2)** This Form 4 is filed to update year-end 401(K) Plan holdings.
- Holdings under the Markel Corporation 401(K) Plan are reported in units. The information reported herein is based on a plan **(3)** statement dated as of December 31, 2013 and utilizes the closing stock price on that date of \$580.35 per share. As of December 31, 2013, a unit under the Plan represented one share of Common Stock.

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(4) Beneficial ownership of securities is expressly disclaimed.

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