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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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(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 Kim Jikun Issuer Symbol EMCORE CORP [EMKR] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title C/O 2015 W. CHESTNUT STREET 10/24/2017 below) Chief Financial Officer (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 Person

ALHAMBRA, CA 91803

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Se	curiti	es Acqu	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securitie Transaction(A) or Disp Code (Instr. 3, 4 (Instr. 8)		posed of (D)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	10/24/2017		M	109,801 (1)	A	<u>(2)</u>	128,333	D	
Common Stock	10/24/2017		F	57,294 (3)	D	\$ 8.4	71,039	D	

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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ar or Nu of
Performance-Based Restricted Stock Units (PSUs)	<u>(4)</u>	10/24/2017		M	65,060	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Emcore Common Stock	6:

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Kim Jikun

C/O 2015 W. CHESTNUT STREET ALHAMBRA, CA 91803

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Ryan Hochgesang, attorney in fact

10/25/2017

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- Represents shares of Issuer common stock subject to an award of performance-based restricted stock units ("PSUs") that vests based on the Issuer's total shareholder return ("TSR") compared to pre-established TSR goals, based on the TSR of the Russell Microcap Index, that were set by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors. The Compensation Committee determined on October 24, 2017 that the number of PSUs earned was 168.77% of the target number of PSUs subject to the first tranche of the award.
- (2) The PSUs were awarded to the Reporting Person for no cash or other similar consideration.
- (3) Represents the number of shares required to be withheld in accordance with Rule 16b-3 to cover the Reporting Person's tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of the PSUs reported herein.
- Each PSU represented a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock, based on the Issuer's TSR compared to pre-established relative TSR goals, based on the TSR of the Russell Microcap Index, that were set by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors. The aggregate number of shares issued may range from zero (0) to 200% of the target number of shares granted.
- (5) PSUs that become vested and nonforfeitable are paid in shares of Common Stock as soon as practicable following the vesting date.

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