

EMERSON ELECTRIC CO  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**SCHLUETER RICHARD J**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O EMERSON ELECTRIC  
CO, 8000 W FLORISSANT**

(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)  
**03/27/2009**

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)  
**VP & Chief Accounting Officer**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	03/27/2009		M <sup>(1)</sup>		3,000 (1) \$ 26.1719	A	45,496 D
Common Stock	03/27/2009		F <sup>(2)</sup>		1,349 (2) \$ 29.085	D	44,147 D
Common Stock							1,528.641 I 401(k) plan
Common Stock							403.438 I 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 26.1719	03/27/2009		M <sup>(1)</sup>	3,000	10/01/2000 <sup>(3)</sup> 04/01/2009	Common Stock	3,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SCHLUETER RICHARD J C/O EMERSON ELECTRIC CO 8000 W FLORISSANT ST LOUIS, MO 63136			VP & Chief Accounting Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ Timothy G. Westman, Attorney-in-Fact for Richard J. Schlueter 03/31/2009

\*\*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 3,000 incentive stock options exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- (2) Payment of option exercise price with respect to 1,500 of the options exercised by delivering securities.
- (3) The options vested in three equal installments beginning on 10/1/2000.

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(4) Price is not applicable to stock options received as incentive compensation.

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