

HORACE MANN EDUCATORS CORP /DE/
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HECKMAN PETER H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HORACE MANN EDUCATORS CORP /DE/ [HMN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1 HORACE MANN PLAZA
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/08/2006

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP & Chief Financial Officer

SPRINGFIELD, IL 62715
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
04/03/2007

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | 03/08/2006 | | A | | 13,558.081 | A | \$ 0 ₍₂₎ 13,558.081 ₍₃₎ |
| Common Stock ⁽⁴⁾ | 03/06/2007 | | A | | 1,608.061 | A | \$ 0 ₍₂₎ 15,472.518 ₍₃₎ |

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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 20.23 | 03/06/2007 | | A | 23,768 | 08/08/1988 ⁽⁵⁾ | 03/06/2014 | Common Stock |
| Phantom Stock Units | \$ 0 ⁽⁶⁾ | 03/15/2007 | | A | 7,821.811 | 08/08/1988 ⁽⁷⁾ | 08/08/1988 ⁽⁷⁾ | Common Stock |
| Phantom Stock Units | \$ 0 ⁽⁶⁾ | 03/30/2007 ⁽⁸⁾ | | A | 159.476 ⁽⁸⁾ | 08/08/1988 ⁽⁷⁾ | 08/08/1988 ⁽⁷⁾ | Common Stock |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| HECKMAN PETER H 1 HORACE MANN PLAZA SPRINGFIELD, IL 62715 | | | EVP & Chief Financial Officer | |

Signatures

Rhonda R. Armstead, Attorney in Fact for Peter H. Heckman

04/09/2008

__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) The acquisition of Common Stock reported hereby is in the form of restricted stock units which will vest in full on December 31, 2008.
- (2) Granted as compensation for services.
- (3) The number of securities reported represents the number of securities owned immediately following the reported transaction.
- (4) The acquisition of Common Stock reported hereby is in the form of restricted stock units which will vest in full on December 31, 2009.
- (5) The option began vesting in four equal annual installments on March 6, 2008.
- (6) Each phantom stock unit is the economic equivalent of one share of Common Stock.

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- The phantom stock units are estimated based on the market price of Horace Mann Educators Corporation Common Stock and are
- (7) acquired under the Horace Mann Educators Corporation Deferred Compensation Plan for employees which are to be settled 100% in cash on the earlier of the reporting person's retirement date, termination date or a date specified by the reporting person.
 - (8) The transaction previously reported on April 3, 2007 is being amended to correct the number of phantom stock units acquired.

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