EMERSON ELECTRIC CO

Form 4

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FORM 4

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

4,031.287

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See Instruction 1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

MONSER EDWARD L				Symbol EMERSON ELECTRIC CO [EMR]						Issuer			
	(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		of Earliest			•	,	(Check	all applicable)	
			(Month/Day/Year) 02/12/2009					_	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Operating Officer				
		EMERSON ELECTRIC , 8000 W. FLORISSANT (Street) LOUIS, MO 63136 (City) (State) (Zip) de of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deen rity (Month/Day/Year) Execution any			endment, l		nte Origina	1	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
	ST. LOUIS	s, MO 63136							_	X_ Form filed by On Form filed by Mo Person			
	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned												
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		Execution	Date, if	3. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	ior	4. Securiti nor Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
	Common Stock	02/12/2009			Code V M(1)		Amount 15,000 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 26.1719	(Instr. 3 and 4) 184,704	D		
	Common Stock	02/12/2009			F(2)		12,314 (2)	D	\$ 31.88	172,390	D		
	Common Stock	02/12/2009			F(3)		244 (3)	D	\$ 31.88	172,146	D		
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	SA. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Secur Acqu or Dis	rities ired (A) sposed of : 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 26.1719	02/12/2009		M <u>(1)</u>		15,000	10/01/2000(4)	04/01/2009	Common Stock	15,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MONSER EDWARD L C/O EMERSON ELECTRIC CO. 8000 W. FLORISSANT ST. LOUIS, MO 63136

Chief Operating Officer

Signatures

/s/ Timothy G. Westman, Attorney-in-Fact for Edward L.

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**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 11,460 incentive stock options and 3,540 non-qualified stock options exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- (2) Payment of option exercise price by delivering securities.
- (3) Shares withheld for taxes exempt under Rule 16b-3 resulting from non-qualified stock option exercise.
- (4) The options vested in three equal installments beginning on 10/1/2000.

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

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