

EMERSON ELECTRIC CO

Form 4

May 14, 2008

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FARR DAVID N

(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)

05/12/2008

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)

Chairman of Board, CEO & Pres.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)

☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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)
Common Stock	05/12/2008		G ⁽¹⁾	V 23,020 (1)	D 2 781,663	D	
Common Stock	05/12/2008		G ⁽¹⁾	V 23,020 (1)	A 2 110,768	I	Spouse
Common Stock					3,723	I	Trust-Daughter
Common Stock					3,723	I	Trust-Son
Common Stock					6,078.605	I	401(k) plan

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Common
Stock

15,740.753 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
FARR DAVID N C/O EMERSON ELECTRIC CO. 8000 W. FLORISSANT ST. LOUIS, MO 63136	X Chairman of Board, CEO & Pres.

Signatures

/s/ Timothy G. Westman, Attorney-in-Fact for David
N. Farr

05/14/2008

__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) Bona fide gift by the Reporting Person of 23,020 shares to the Reporting Person's spouse.

(2) Price is not applicable to acquisitions or dispositions resulting from bona fide gifts.

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