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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Employers Holdings, Inc. [EIG] | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | |
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| <u>Higgins Barbara A</u> | | | | | | amprojero fromingo, mer [mo] | | | | | | | | | X D | irector | 10% | Owner | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 10375 PROFESSIONAL CIRCLE | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/21/2018 | | | | | | | | | | fficer (give title elow) | Othe belo | r (specify v) | |
| , | | | | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) | | | | |
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| | | Tabl | e I - Non | ı-Deriv | ative | Se | curitie | s Ac | quired, | Dis | osed o | f, or | Bene | ficia | lly Ov | ned | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transar Date (Month/Da | | | | | /Day/Year) i | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5) | | rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, | | | nd See Bei Ow | Amount of curities neficially ned Following ported | 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 | Tra | nsaction(s) str. 3 and 4) | | (11150.4) | |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.01 03/21/. | | | | | | /2018 | | A | | 368(1 | 1) A | | \$(|) | 368 | D | | | |
| | | Та | ble II - D | | | | | | | | sed of, onvertib | | | | y Own | ed | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | ivative Conversion Date curity or Exercise (Month/Day/) | | 3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day | Date, Transaction Code (Instr. | | of Deriv | r osed) :. 3, 4 | Expiration (Month/D | Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Date Expiration Date | | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Title | | 8. Price Derivativ Security (Instr. 5) | derivative Securities | Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4 | Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents restricted stock units that vest on May 25, 2018.

Remarks:

/s/ Lenard T. Ormsby, attorney in fact 03/22/2018

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

 $Reminder: Report \ on \ a \ separate \ line \ for \ each \ class \ of \ securities \ beneficially \ owned \ directly.$

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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