FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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 $^*$ Ormsby Lenard T						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Employers Holdings, Inc. [ EIG ]											all application	cable) r	g Per	son(s) to Iss 10% Ov	vner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 10375 PROFESSIONAL CIRCLE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2019											below)	(give title /P, Chief Lega		Other (s below) l Officer	specify
(Street) RENO NV 89521																	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applica Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)											Person							
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curiti	ies Ad	cqı	uired,	Dis	posed o	of, c	r Bei	neficia	lly	Owned	l			
Date				2. Transa Date (Month/E		ır)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			3. Transa Code (I 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				l and Securiti Benefic Owned		es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
										Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 01/02										F		1,840	)	D	\$41.	\$41.26		17,841		D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 01/02/2										D		3,319	(1)	D	\$0	\$0		14,522		D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01																	69	,425		I	Ormsby Family Trust
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  3. Transactior Date (Month/Day/Yellow)		3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,		ransaction ode (Instr.		n of E			ercisa Date y/Yea	r) A S U D		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	V (A)		(D)		ate xercisab		xpiration ate			Amount or Number of Shares						
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$24.2	01/02/2019			J			975		(2)	0	3/10/2022	St par	mmon tock, value 0.01	975		\$0	6,825		D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$27.72	01/02/2019			J			1,773		(3)	0	3/14/2023	St par	mmon tock, value 0.01	1,773		\$0	5,319		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. As a result of retirement as an executive of the Company on January 2, 2019, the Reporting Person forfeited 3,319 restricted stock units that were subject to time-based vesting.
- 2. As a result of retirement as an executive of the Company on January 2, 2019, the Reporting Person forfeited the option to purchase 975 shares of common stock.
- 3. As a result of retirement as an executive of the Company on January 2, 2019, the Reporting Person forfeited the option to purchase 1,773 shares of common stock.

## Remarks:

/s/ Lori A. Brown, attorney in

01/03/2019

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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## LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR SECTION 16 REPORTING OBLIGATIONS

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby makes, constitutes and appoints Lori A. Brown as the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact, with full power and authority as hereinafter described on behalf of and in the name, place and stead of the undersigned to:

- 1. prepare, execute, acknowledge, deliver and file Forms 3, 4, and 5 (including any amendments thereto) with respect to the securities of Employers Holdings, Inc., a Nevada corporation (the "Company"), with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission, any national securities exchanges and the Company, as considered necessary or advisable under Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended from time to time (the "Exchange Act");
- 2. seek or obtain, as the undersigned's representative and on the undersigned's behalf, information on transactions in the Company's securities from any third party, including brokers, employee benefit plan administrators and trustees, and the undersigned hereby authorizes any such person to release any such information to the undersigned and approves and ratifies any such release of information; and 3. perform any and all other acts which in the discretion of such attorney-in-fact are necessary or desirable for and on behalf of the undersigned in connection with the foregoing.

The undersigned acknowledges that:

- 1. this Power of Attorney authorizes, but does not require, such attorney-in-fact to act in her discretion on information provided to such attorney-in-fact without independent verification of such information;
- 2. any documents prepared and/or executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney will be in such form and will contain such information and disclosure as such attorney-in-fact, in her discretion, deems necessary or desirable;
- 3. neither the Company nor such attorney-in-fact assumes (i) any liability for the undersigned's responsibility to comply with the requirement of the Exchange Act, (ii) any liability of the undersigned for any failure to comply with such requirements, or (iii) any obligation or liability of the undersigned for profit disgorgement under Section 16(b) of the Exchange Act; and 4. this Power of Attorney does not relieve the undersigned from responsibility for
- 4. this Power of Attorney does not relieve the undersigned from responsibility for compliance with the undersigned's obligations under the Exchange Act, including, without limitation, the reporting requirements under Section 16 of the Exchange Act. The undersigned hereby gives and grants the foregoing attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or appropriate to be done in and about the foregoing matters as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if present, hereby ratifying all that such attorney-in-fact of, for and on behalf of the undersigned, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

The undersigned expressly ratifies any and all actions previously taken to prepare, execute, acknowledge, deliver and file Form 4s with respect to the securities of the Company previously taken by the foregoing attorney-in-fact, as if they had been done or caused to be done by the undersigned, as contemplated by this Power of Attorney.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to such attorney-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 19th day of December, 2018.

/s/ Lenard T. Ormsby Lenard T. Ormsby

STATE OF NEVADA COUNTY OF WASHOE

On this 19th day of December, 2018, Lenard T. Ormsby personally appeared before me, and acknowledged that he executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal.

/s/ Tanya M Yamagata (Seal) Tanya M Yamagata Notary Public