## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Blakey Richard W</u>							2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Employers Holdings, Inc. [ EIG ]										of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer cable) or 10% Owner			
(Last) 10375 PI	(Fi		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/01/2011										Office below	r (give title )		Other ( below)	specify			
(Street) RENO (City)	RENO NV 89521				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										fividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  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. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,			Co	Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)			rities Acqui ed Of (D) (In		4 and Securit		ies Fo cially (D) Following (I)		n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code (I 8)		n of		Expira	e Exerc ation Da h/Day/\	ate		And 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		[   5   (	B. Price of Derivative Gecurity Instr. 5)	ve derivative Securities		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A) (D)		Date Exerci			piration te	Amo or Num of Title Sha		ber					
Dividend Equivalent Rights	(1)	06/01/2011			A		11		(1	1)		(1)	Common Stock, par value \$0.01	1:	L	\$0	150		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The dividend equivalent rights ("DERs") accrued on vested restricted stock units ("RSUs") previously granted to the reporting person where the reporting person has voluntarily deferred delivery of such RSUs until six months following termination of service on the board of directors. The DERs become exercisable proportionately with the RSUs to which they relate. Each DER is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock of Employers Holdings, Inc.

> 06/02/2011 /s/ Richard W. Blakey

\*\* 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).

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