

Wilkinson Thomas
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Wilkinson Thomas

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
HORACE MANN EDUCATORS
CORP /DE/ [HMN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1 HORACE MANN PLAZA
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/07/2012

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Executive Vice President

SPRINGFIELD, IL 62715

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 ⁽¹⁾	03/07/2012		A	11,734.346	A \$ 0 71,337.585 ⁽²⁾	D	
Common Stock ⁽³⁾	03/07/2012		A	4,044	A \$ 0 75,381.585 ⁽⁴⁾	D	
Common Stock					159.165 ⁽⁵⁾	I	0 ⁽⁵⁾

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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.32	03/07/2012		A	17,472	08/08/1988 ⁽⁶⁾ 03/07/2019	Common Stock 17,4

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Wilkinson Thomas 1 HORACE MANN PLAZA SPRINGFIELD, IL 62715	Director 10% Owner Officer Other Executive Vice President

Signatures

Ann M. Caparros, Attorney in Fact for Thomas C.
Wilkinson 03/09/2012

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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- (1) The acquisition of Common Stock reported hereby is in the form of restricted stock units which will vest in two equal annual installments beginning December 31, 2012.
- (2) Represents 69,804.992 restricted stock units and 1,532.593 shares of Common Stock.
- (3) The acquisition of Common Stock reported hereby is in the form of restricted stock units which will vest in three equal annual installments beginning March 7, 2015.
- (4) Represents 73,848.992 restricted stock units and 1,532.593 shares of Common Stock.
- (5) Held by the Horace Mann Supplemental Retirement & Savings Trust (401(K)).
- (6) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on March 7, 2013.

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