Essent Group Ltd. Form 4

November 05, 2013 FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Gibbons Mary Lourdes

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Last) (First) (Middle)

Essent Group Ltd. [ESNT] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

C/O ESSENT GROUP LTD. CLARENDON HOUSE, 2

CHURCH STREET

(Month/Day/Year)

11/05/2013

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

SVP, Chief Legal Officer

(Street)

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

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

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Table | e I - Non-D | erivative Se | curiti | es Acqı | uired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficial | y Owned |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|---|------------------------|--------|--|--|------------------|---------|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | |
| Common Shares, par value \$0.015 | 11/05/2013 | | Code V | Amount 56,045 (4) | (D) | Price (1) | (Instr. 3 and 4) 56,045 | D | |
| Common Shares, par value \$0.015 | 11/05/2013 | | C | 144,468 (<u>5)</u> | A | <u>(2)</u> | 200,513 | D | |
| Common Shares, par value | 11/05/2013 | | A | 75,000 (3) | A | (3) | 275,513 | D | |

\$0.015

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|---|---|--|-----|----------------|--|--------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Class A Common Shares | <u>(1)</u> | 11/05/2013 | | C | | 41,832 (1) | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Common Shares | 56,045 (1) (4) |
| Class B-2 Common Shares | <u>(2)</u> | 11/05/2013 | | C | | 370,787 (2) | (2) | (2) | Common Shares | 144,468 (2) (5) |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|--|--|
| • 0 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| Gibbons Mary Lourdes C/O ESSENT GROUP LTD. CLARENDON HOUSE 2 CHURCH STREET HAMILTON, DO HM 11 | | | SVP, Chief Legal Officer | | | |

Signatures

Person

/s/ Mary Lourdes
Gibbons

11/05/2013

**Signature of Reporting
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) The Class A Common Shares automatically converted into Common Shares, par value \$0.015, after giving effect to the 2 for 3 share split, immediately prior to consummation of the issuer's initial public offering.

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- The Class B-2 Common Shares that are eligible to vest under the issuer's Amended and Restated 2009 Restricted Share Plan (the "2009 Plan") automatically converted into Common Shares, par value \$0.015, after giving effect to the 2 for 3 share split, immediately prior to consummation of the issuer's initial public offering and any Class B-2 Common Shares that are not eligible to vest under the 2009 Plan were forfeited immediately prior to consummation of the issuer's initial public offering.
 - Represents restricted shares granted under the issuer's 2013 Long-Term Incentive Plan effective immediately prior to the consummation of the issuer's initial public offering, including 37,500 restricted shares subject to time-based and performance-based percentage vesting,
- (3) with any shares becoming earned based upon the issuer's compounded annual book value per share growth percentage during a three-year performance period commencing January 1, 2014, vesting on the one year anniversary of the completion of the performance period, and 37,500 restricted shares subject to time-based vesting, vesting in equal annual installments during the four-year period commencing January 1, 2014.
- (4) Includes 32,364 restricted shares granted under the issuer's Annual Leadership Bonus Plan, of which 15,356 vest on January 1, 2014, 10,688 vest on January 1, 2015, and the remaining restricted shares vest on January 1, 2016.
- (5) Includes 48,156 restricted shares granted under the issuer's 2009 Plan that vest on June 1, 2014.

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