

WITHERS W WAYNE

Form 4

November 23, 2005

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
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
WITHERS W WAYNE

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O EMERSON ELECTRIC
CO., 8000 W. FLORISSANT**

(Street)

ST. LOUIS, MO 63136

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

EMERSON ELECTRIC CO [EMR]

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

11/21/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title _____ Other (specify
below) below)

Sr. VP, Secy & Gen. Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ 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. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (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	12/02/1997		G	V 88 ⁽¹⁾ D ⁽²⁾	45,811 ⁽³⁾	D	
Common Stock	11/07/2002		G	V 230 ⁽¹⁾ D ⁽²⁾	45,581	D	
Common Stock	09/14/2004		G	V 230 ⁽¹⁾ D ⁽²⁾	45,406	D	
Common Stock	11/21/2005		F	4,245 ⁽⁴⁾ D ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 72.44 41,161	D	
Common Stock					203.488	I	401(k) plan

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Common Stock	2,165.238	I	401(k) excess plan
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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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
WITHERS W WAYNE C/O EMERSON ELECTRIC CO. 8000 W. FLORISSANT ST. LOUIS, MO 63136	Sr. VP, Secy & Gen. Counsel

Signatures

/s/ W. Wayne
Withers 11/23/2005

__Signature of
Reporting Person 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) Bona fide gift by the Reporting Person to the United Way.
- (2) Price is not applicable to acquisitions or dispositions resulting from bona fide gifts.

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- (3) This figure has been adjusted to reflect the fact that this transaction was a gift for 88 shares, not 112 shares as was originally reported.
- (4) Shares withheld for taxes pursuant to Rule 16b-3 upon vesting of previously-reported stock grant under shareholder-approved benefit plan.
- (5) Fair market value on date of vesting described in Note 4.

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