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(Print or Type Re	esponses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Benham Bret L			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			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/06/2018					Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) below) Executive Vice President			
Filed(Mor				Amendment, Date Original d(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)		e I - Non-I	Derivative	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o		-	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year) Execution any	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Secur ionAcquire Dispose (Instr. 3	d (A) of d of (D , 4 and (A) or)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock (1)	03/06/2018			А	1,167	A	\$0	0	D		

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)

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 42.95	03/06/2018		A	10,520	08/08/1988 <u>(2)</u>	03/06/2028	Common Stock	10,5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships		
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Benham Bret L 1 HORACE MANN PLAZA SPRINGFIELD, IL 62715			Executive Vice President		
Signatures					
Linea K. Michael, Attorney in Benham	Fact for E	Bret L.	03/08/2018		
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting	Date				
Explanation of Re	enon	606.			

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) 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 6, 2019.
- (2) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on March 6, 2019.

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