

HORACE MANN EDUCATORS CORP /DE/  
 Form 4/A  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**LOWER LOUIS G II**

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)  
**03/08/2006**

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**President & CEO**

**SPRINGFIELD, IL 62715**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  
**04/03/2007**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock <u>(1)</u>	03/08/2006		A		29,844.064	A	\$ 0 <u>(2)</u>
							39,844.064 <u>(3) (4)</u>
Common Stock <u>(5)</u>	03/06/2007		A		3,539.666	A	\$ 0 <u>(2)</u>
							44,058.122 <u>(3) (6)</u>
Common Stock							9,569.591 <u>(7)</u>
						I	0 <u>(7)</u>

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 Underlying (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.23	03/06/2007		A	49,796		08/08/1988 <sup>(8)</sup>	03/06/2014	Common Stock
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(9)</sup>	03/15/2007		A	17,207.984		08/08/1988 <sup>(10)</sup>	08/08/1988 <sup>(10)</sup>	Common Stock
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(9)</sup>	03/30/2007 <sup>(11)</sup>		A	382.674 <sup>(11)</sup>		08/08/1988 <sup>(10)</sup>	08/08/1988 <sup>(10)</sup>	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LOWER LOUIS G II 1 HORACE MANN PLAZA SPRINGFIELD, IL 62715	X		President & CEO	

## Signatures

Rhonda R. Armstead, Attorney in Fact for Louis G. Lower II  
 Date: 04/09/2008  
 \*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## 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 acquisition of Common Stock reported hereby is in the form of restricted stock units which will vest in full on December 31, 2008.
- (2) Granted as compensation for services.
- (3) The number of securities reported represents the number of securities owned immediately following the reported transaction.
- (4) Represents 29,844.064 restricted stock units and 10,000 shares of Common Stock.
- (5) The acquisition of Common Stock reported hereby is in the form of restricted stock units which will vest in full on December 31, 2009.

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- (6) Represents 34,058.122 restricted stock units and 10,000 shares of Common Stock.
- (7) The number of securities reported represents the number of securities owned by the Horace Mann Supplemental Retirement & Savings Trust (401(k)) immediately following the transaction reported above on March 6, 2007.
- (8) The option began vesting in four equal annual installments on March 6, 2008.
- (9) Each phantom stock unit is the economic equivalent of one share of Common Stock.  
The phantom stock units are estimated based on the market price of Horace Mann Educators Corporation Common Stock and are
- (10) acquired under the Horace Mann Educators Corporation Deferred Compensation Plan for employees which are to be settled 100% in cash on the earlier of the reporting person's retirement date, termination date or a date specified by the reporting person.
- (11) The transaction previously reported on April 3, 2007 is being amended to correct the number of phantom stock units acquired.

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