SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

SCHEDULE 13G

INFORMATION STATEMENT PURSUANT TO RULES 13d-1 AND 13d-2 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

> Emcore Corporation (Name of Issuer)

Common Stock (Title of Class of Securities)

March 31, 2000

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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1)	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON Gilder Gagnon Howe & Co. LLC 13-3174112						
2)	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE	BOX IF A MI		(a) (b)			
3)	SEC USE ONLY						
4)	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION New York						
	NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY	5)	SOLE VOTING POWER None				
		6)	SHARED VOTING POWE	ER			

	EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	7)	None SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER			
			None			
		8)	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER			
			948,745			
9)	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON					
	948,745					
10)	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES					
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11)	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)					
	6.1%					
12)	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON					
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Schedule 13G

Name of Issuer:

Item 1(a).

Emcore Corporation Item 1(b). Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices: 394 Elizabeth Avenue Somerset, NJ 08873 Name of Person Filing: Item 2(a). Gilder Gagnon Howe & Co. LLC Address of Principal Business Office or, if None, Residence: Item 2(b). 1775 Broadway, 26th Floor New York, NY 10019 Item 2(c). Citizenship: New York Item 2(d). Title of Class of Securities: Common Stock CUSIP Number: Item 2(e). 290846104 Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant toss.ss.240.13d-1(b), or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a: (a) [x] Broker or Dealer Registered Under Section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780) Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 (b) |_| U.S.C. 78c) Insurance Company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of (c) |_| the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c) (d) $|_{-}|$ Investment Company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8) (e) |_| Investment Adviser in accordance withss.240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E) Employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance (f) |_| withss.240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F) (g) |_| Parent Holding Company or control person in accordance withss.240.13d-1(b)(ii)(G)

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- (h) |_| Savings Association as defined inss.3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813)
- (j) |_| Group, in accordance withss.240.13d-1(b)(ii)(J)

Item 4. Ownership.

- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 948,745
- (b) Percent of class: 6.1%
- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
 - (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote: None
 - (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote: None
 - (iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: None
 - (iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 948,745

The shares reported include 935,585 shares held in customer accounts over which members and/or employees of the Reporting Person have discretionary authority to dispose of or direct the disposition of the shares and 13,160 shares held in accounts owned by the members of the Reporting Person and their families.

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class.

Not applicable.

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

The owners of the accounts in which the shares reported on this schedule are held have the right to receive or the power to direct the receipt of dividends from, or the proceeds from the sale of, such securities.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company.

Not applicable

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Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

Not applicable

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not applicable

Item 10. Certification.

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired for the purpose of and do not have the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of such securities and were not acquired in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having such purposes or effect.

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best knowledge and belief of the undersigned, the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this Statement is true, complete and correct.

April 10, 2000 Date

/s/ Walter Weadock Signature

Walter Weadock, Member Name/Title

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