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	Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Somez Alfredo		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>EMCORE CORP</u> [EMKR]	5. Relationship of R (Check all applicabl Director	e)	(s) to Issuer 10% Owner

05/18/2012

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Disposed Of 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(11311.4)	
Emcore Common Stock	05/18/2012		S		1,253	D	\$3.95	22 , 908 ⁽¹⁾	D		
Emcore Common Stock								1,783 ⁽²⁾	Ι	By Trust 401(k)	

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. Transa Code (8)						7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Includes 8,333 shares of restricted stock westing as follows: 4,167 shares of restricted stock will vest on January 28, 2012 and 4,166 shares of restricted stock will vest on January 28, 2013; and 8,334 shares of restricted stock vesting in two equal annual installments beginning on May 3, 2013.

2. Shares attributable to EMCORE Corporation 401(k) account as of March 31, 2012.

/s/ Alfredo Gomez

** Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

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