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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement HORACE MANN EDUCATORS CORP /DE/ [HMN] Andrews Paul D (Month/Day/Year) 03/08/2005 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 1 HORACE MANN PLAZA (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person SPRINGFIELD, ILÂ 62715 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One Senior Vice President Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock 191 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	curity Date		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)	
	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Tial- A	Derivative	Security:		
		Title Amount of Number of	Security	Direct (D)		
		Number	01	or Indirect		

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	08/08/1988(1)	07/02/2011	Common Stock	20,000	\$ 21.77	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	08/08/1988(2)	05/14/2009	Common Stock	55,000	\$ 20.8	D	Â
Phantom Stock Units	08/08/1988(3)	08/08/1988(3)	Common Stock	288.239	\$ 0 (4)	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
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Andrews Paul D 1 HORACE MANN PLAZA SPRINGFIELD II Â 62715	Â	Â	Senior Vice President	Â		

Signatures

Rhonda R. Armstead, Attorney in Fact for Paul D.

Andrews

03/11/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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 option vested in four equal annual installments beginning on July 2, 2001.
- (2) The option vested effective June 30, 2004.
- The phantom stock units are estimated based on the market price of Horace Mann Educators Corporation Common Stock and are
- (3) acquired under the Horace Mann Educators Corporation Deferred Compessation 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 certain.
- (4) One-for-one.

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