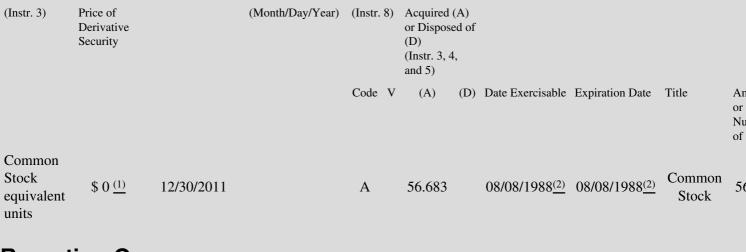
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(Print or Type Respo	nses)									
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Shaheen Gabriel			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			HORACE MANN EDUCATORS CORP /DE/ [HMN]				(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (I	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				_X_ Director10% Owner			
2101 SYCAMORE HILLS DRIVE			(Month/Day/Year) 12/30/2011				Officer (giv below)	e title Oth below)	ner (specify	
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Securities A	cquired, Disposed	of. or Beneficia	llv Owned	
	ansaction Date hth/Day/Year)			3.4. SecuritiesTransactionAcquired (A) orCodeDisposed of (D)(Instr. 8)(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		es (A) or of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	<ul><li>6. Ownership</li><li>Form: Direct</li><li>(D) or Indirect</li><li>(I)</li></ul>	7. Nature of Indirect	
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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration	7. Title and Amo
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Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)

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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Shaheen Gabriel 2101 SYCAMORE HILLS DRIVE FORT WAYNE, IN 46814	Х					
Signatures						
Ann M. Caparros, Attorney in Fact f Shaheen	1	01/04/2012				
**Signature of Reporting Persor		Date				

## **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) Each Common Stock equivalent unit is the economic equivalent of one share of Common Stock.

The Common Stock equivalent units are estimated based on the market price of Horace Mann Educators Corporation Common Stock and (2) are to be settled in Common Stock pursuant to the Horace Mann Educators Corporation 2010 Comprehensive Executive Compensation

Plan.

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