

HUDSON CHARLES B
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FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Torchmark Corporation (TMK)			6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
Hudson, C.B.			3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)			4. Statement for Month/Day/Year 1-15-03			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director — <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner — <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) — Other (specify below) Chairman & Chief Executive Officer		
(Last) (First) (Middle) Torchmark Corporation 3700 Stonebridge Drive									5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)		
(Street) McKinney, TX 75070			(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 & 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 & 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)			
Common Stock	1-15-03		G	5000	D	0	1,066,217	D	
Common Stock							115,550	I	Trustee for GRATs for Children
Common Stock							24,000	I	Trustee for Children
Common Stock							19,247 ⁽¹⁾	I	Thrift Plan Trust
Torchmark Capital Trust Preferred Securities							8,000	D	

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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FORM 4 (continued) 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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 & 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 & 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Shares in unitized fund in employee benefit plan - estimated conversion of \$ balance to shares using \$38.50 per share.

By: /s/ **C.B. Hudson, /s/ Carol A. McCoy,**
Attorney-in-Fact

01-15-03
Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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