Zorn Rebecca E Form 4 March 04, 2019

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Zorn Rebecca E			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			TORCHMARK CORP [TMK]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	•			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
TORCHMARK			02/28/2019	X Officer (give title Other (specify			
CORPORATION, 3700 S.				below) below) VP & Chief Talent Officer			
STONEBRIDO	GE DR.			VI & Chief Talent Officer			

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

MCKINNEY, TX 750701

(City)	(State) (2	Table	I - Non-De	erivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock					0	D	
Common Stock					0	I	N/A

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

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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 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 or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 82.56	02/28/2019		A	18,000	<u>(1)</u>	02/28/2026	Common Stock	18,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Zorn Rebecca E

TORCHMARK CORPORATION 3700 S. STONEBRIDGE DR. MCKINNEY, TX 750701

VP & Chief Talent Officer

Signatures

Rebecca E. Zorn by Carol A. McCoy, Attorney-in-fact

03/04/2019

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) First exercisable as to 50% of shares 2-28-21 and as to remaining 50% of shares 2-28-22.

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