#### MARKEL STEVEN A

Form 4

January 15, 2019

### FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad	^	orting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	MARKEL CORP [MKL]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
C/O MARKE			(Month/Day/Year) 01/14/2019	_X_ Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specification) below)  Vice Chairman			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			

GLEN ALLEN, VA 23060

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

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficially	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		sed of 4 and (A) or	` ′	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	01/14/2019		S	4 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 1,032.4	102,031	D	
Common Stock	01/14/2019		S	6 (1)	D	\$ 1,034.1	102,025	D	
Common Stock	01/14/2019		S	40 (1)	D	\$ 1,036.37 (2)	101,985	D	
Common Stock	01/14/2019		S	29 (1)	D	\$ 1,037.61 (3)	101,956	D	

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Common Stock	01/14/2019	S	21 (1)	D	\$ 1,038.66 (4)	101,935	D	
Common Stock						2,035.78	I	401(K) Plan (5)
Common Stock						15,000	I	By Spouse <u>(6)</u>

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. Transac Code (Instr. 8	of Se Se Ac (A Di of (In			ate	Secur	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A	a) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MARKEL STEVEN A C/O MARKEL CORPORATION 4521 HIGHWOODS PARKWAY GLEN ALLEN, VA 23060	X		Vice Chairman			

## **Signatures**

/s/ Donna S. Donavant, Attorney-in-fact for Steven A.

Markel

01/15/2019

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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### **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) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$1,036.00 to \$1,036.51, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to any security holder of Markel Corporation or to the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$1,037.22 to \$1,038.10, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to any security holder of Markel Corporation or to the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$1,038.40 to \$1,038.97, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to any security holder of Markel Corporation or to the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- Holdings under the Markel Corporation 401(K) Plan are reported in units. The information reported herein is based on a plan statement (5) dated as of December 31, 2018 and utilizes the most recent closing stock price on that date of \$1,038.05 per share. As of December 31, 2018, a unit under the Plan represented one share of Common Stock.
- (6) Beneficial ownership of securities is expressly disclaimed.

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