

Quezada David M  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Quezada David M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

10375 PROFESSIONAL CIRCLE

(Street)

RENO, NV 89521

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Employers Holdings, Inc. [EIG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/03/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
SVP & GM, Strategic Markets

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	03/03/2011		M		12,000	A	\$ 18.79 26,207
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	03/03/2011		M		6,000	A	\$ 19.21 32,207
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	03/03/2011		M		3,000	A	\$ 11.84 35,207

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01      03/03/2011      S      23,203      D      \$ 20.1004      12,004      D      (1)

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 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)	\$ 18.79	03/03/2011		M	12,000	<u>(2)</u> 08/07/2014	Common Stock, par value \$0.01      12,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.21	03/03/2011		M	6,000	<u>(3)</u> 05/28/2015	Common Stock, par value \$0.01      6,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.84	03/03/2011		M	3,000	<u>(4)</u> 05/29/2016	Common Stock, par value \$0.01      3,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Quezada David M 10375 PROFESSIONAL CIRCLE			SVP & GM, Strategic Markets	

RENO, NV 89521

## Signatures

/s/ David M.

03/07/2011

Quezada

\_\_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).  
The sale price reported in column 4 of Table I represents the weighted average sale price of the shares sold ranging from \$20.00 to \$20.24
- (1) per share, inclusive. Upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, the Reporting Person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within such range.
  - (2) Shares subject to the option are fully vested and immediately exercisable.
  - (3) One-fourth of the shares subject to the option vested on May 29, 2009 with the remaining shares vesting in three equal annual installments beginning on May 29, 2010.
  - (4) One-fourth of the shares subject to the option vested on May 28, 2010 with the remaining shares vesting in three equal annual installments beginning on May 28, 2011.

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