TORCHMARK CORP

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Form 4 or Form 5

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad Bertini Dome	•	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	TORCHMARK CORP [TMK] (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction		(Check all applicable)			
AMERICAN INCOME LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, 3700 SOUTH STONEBRIDGE DR.			(Month/Day/Year) 06/08/2016	Director 10% Owner Officer (give titleX Other (specify below) Exec. Officer of Prin. Sub.			

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

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

MCKINNEY, TX 75050

(State)

(City)

(City)	(State)	Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transactionor Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or				5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	06/08/2016		Code V M	Amount 3,375	(D)	Price \$ 20.5823	3,375	D	
Common Stock	06/08/2016		S	3,375	D	\$ 60.9772 (1) (2)	0	D	
Common							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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.5823	06/08/2016		M	3,375	02/25/2013	02/25/2017	Common Stock	3,375

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Bertini Domenico AMERICAN INCOME LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY 3700 SOUTH STONEBRIDGE DR. MCKINNEY, TX 75050

Exec. Officer of Prin. Sub.

Signatures

Domenico Bertini by /s/ Carol A. McCoy, Attorney in Fact 06/10/2016

**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) sales at prices ranging from \$60.96 per share to \$61.00 per share.
- (2) Reporting person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or any security holder of the issuer.

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