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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Glisson Britton L.	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	MARKEL CORP [MKL] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
C/O MARKEL CORPORATION, 4521 HIGHWOODS PARKWAY	(Month/Day/Year) 02/23/2015	Director 10% Owner Other (give title Other (specify below) Chief Administrative Officer		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
GLEN ALLEN, VA 23060		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly 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 cionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of 6. Ownersl Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I)		1	
		(Monui/Day/Tear)	Code V	Amount	(A) or	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/23/2015		A	787 <u>(1)</u>	` '	\$0	12,492.732 (2)	D	
Common Stock							1,372.193	I	401(K) Plan (3)
Common Stock							2,360	I	By Spouse

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)

 Title of 	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	int of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
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					(A) or]
					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									or		
						Date	Expiration	Title	Number		
						Exercisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting 6 wher runne, radices	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Glisson Britton L. C/O MARKEL CORPORATION 4521 HIGHWOODS PARKWAY GLEN ALLEN, VA 23060			Chief Administrative Officer				

Signatures

/s/ Donna L. Strauss, Attorney-in-fact for Britton L. Glisson

**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) Restricted stock units awarded pursuant to the Markel Corporation 2012 Equity Incentive Compensation Plan that will vest, subject to certain conditions, on December 31, 2018.

In addition to the award of 787 restricted stock units reported on this Form 4, the total includes 761 and 877 restricted stock units awarded pursuant to the Markel Corporation 2012 Equity Incentive Compensation Plan that will vest, subject to certain conditions, on May 13, 2016 and December 31, 2018, respectively; 770 restricted stock units awarded pursuant to the Markel Corporation 2012 Equity Incentive Compensation Plan and the Markel Corporation Omnibus Incentive Plan, as applicable, that

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- Corporation 2012 Equity Incentive Compensation Plan and the Markel Corporation Omnibus Incentive Plan, as applicable, that will vest, subject to certain conditions, on December 31, 2017; 1,668 restricted stock units granted pursuant to the Markel Corporation Omnibus Incentive Plan that will vest, subject to certain conditions, on May 10, 2015; and 960 restricted stock units granted pursuant to the Markel Corporation Omnibus Incentive Plan, of which 710 units will vest on December 31, 2015 and 250 units will vest on February 21, 2017.
- (3) Holdings under the Markel Corporation 401(K) Plan are reported in units. The information reported herein is based on a plan statement dated as of December 31, 2014 and utilizes the closing stock price on that date of \$682.84 per share. As of December

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- 31, 2014, a unit under the Plan represented one share of Common Stock.
- (4) Beneficial ownership of securities is expressly disclaimed.

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