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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

Person <u>*</u> Sta CARLSON DAVID (M			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 07/09/2012		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TORCHMARK CORP [TMK]							
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				5. If Amendment, Date Origin			
UNITED AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY, 3700 SOUTH STONEBRIDGE DRIVE (Street)  MCKINNEY, TX 75070				(Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner OfficerX Other (give title below) (specify below) Officer of Principal Sub.			vner	Filed(Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		Table I - N	lon-Der	rivati	ve Secu	ırities	s Ber	neficially	Owned	
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Torchmark Capital Trust Preferred Securities III			1,500			D	Ĥ	Â				
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
	Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	02/25/2013	02/25/2017	Common Stock	1,125	\$ 30.8734	D	Â	
	Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	04/28/2021	Common Stock	3,750	\$ 44.3867	D	Â	
	Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	01/23/2022	Common Stock	4,000	\$ 45.49	D	Â	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

CARLSON DAVID KENDALL UNITED AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY 3700 SOUTH STONEBRIDGE DRIVE MCKINNEY, TXÂ 75070

 $\hat{A}$   $\hat{A}$   $\hat{A}$  Officer of Principal Sub.

## **Signatures**

David K. Carlson, By:/s/Carol A. McCoy, Attorney-in-fact

07/18/2012

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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 25% of shares on 4/28/2013; 50% of shares on 4/28/2014; 75% of shares on 4/28/2015; and 100% of shares on 4/28/2016.
- (2) First exercisable as to 25% of shares on 1/23/2014; 50% of shares on 1/23/2015; 75% of shares on 1/23/2016; and 100% of shares on 1/23/2017.

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