MARKEL ANTHONY F

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

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MARKEL ANTHONY F			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Lost)	(Finat)	(Middle)	MARKEL CORP [MKL]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) C/O MARK CORPORA'		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/03/2013	X Director 10% Owner Specify title Other (specify below) Vice Chairman			
HIGHWOO	DS PKWY			vice chairman			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			

GLEN ALLEN, VA 23060

Form filed by More than One Reporting

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ble I - Non-	-Derivative S	Secur	rities Acquir	ed, 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	C	d of (D)	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	05/03/2013		S	56 D)	\$ 532.0073	3,585	I	As Trustee
Common Stock							75,524	D	
Common Stock							6,220	I	As Trustee
Common Stock							3,366	I	As Trustee

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			(3)
Common Stock	2,850	I	As Trustee
Common Stock	1,961	I	As Trustee
Common Stock	2,443	I	By Trust
Common Stock	20,565	I	By Trust (5)

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)

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Reporting Owners

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

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Signatures

/s/ Richard R. Grinnan, Attorney-in-fact for Anthony F. Markel

05/06/2013

**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) Mr. Markel is Trustee under a charitable lead unitrust in which his children have remainder interests. Beneficial ownership of securities is expressly disclaimed.
- (2) Mr. Markel is the Trustee under trusts for the benefit of himself and his children.
- (3) Mr. Markel is Trustee of irrevocable trusts for the benefit of his children. Beneficial ownership of securities is expressly disclaimed.
- (4) Mr. Markel is the Trustee of a trust for the benefit of his children and their descendants and in which Mr. Markel retains a partial interest.

 Mr. Markel disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held in the trust except to the extent of his partial interest.
- (5) Mr. Markel is a Trustee and partial beneficiary of a series of Grantor Retained Annuity Trusts.

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