BRITENRIKER BARBARA J

Form 4

August 29, 2017

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BRITENRIKER BARBARA J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANCORP INC [FMAO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

below)

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

24794 US HIGHWAY 6

08/18/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Exec. Vice President 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

STRYKER, OH 43557

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

Code

(Instr. 3 and 4)

08/29/2017 **COMMON**

V Amount (D) Price $A^{(1)}$ 1,000 \$0 A

8,741

D

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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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerci	isable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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								Number		
								of		
								Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BRITENRIKER BARBARA J 24794 US HIGHWAY 6 STRYKER, OH 43557

Exec. Vice President

Signatures

Lydia Huber 08/29/2017

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Stock acquired as a result of stock awards issued pursuant to the Company's Long Term Incentive Plan

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