

TORCHMARK CORP
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MONTGOMERY ROSEMARY J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

UNITED AMERICAN
INSURANCE COMPANY, 3700
SOUTH STONEBRIDGE DRIVE

(Street)

MCKINNEY, TX 75070

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
TORCHMARK CORP [TMK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
04/29/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
EVP & Chief Actuary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	04/29/2008		S	351	D \$ 64.96	94,359	D
Common Stock	04/29/2008		S	200	D \$ 64.97	94,159	D
Common Stock	04/29/2008		S	700	D \$ 64.98	93,459	D
Common Stock	04/29/2008		S	300	D \$ 65	93,159	D
Common Stock	04/29/2008		S	900	D \$ 65.01	92,259	D

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Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	200	D	\$ 65.03	92,059	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	800	D	\$ 65.04	91,259	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	1,900	D	\$ 65.05	89,359	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	900	D	\$ 65.06	88,459	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	2,600	D	\$ 65.1	85,859	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	2,500	D	\$ 65.12	83,359	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	500	D	\$ 65.13	82,859	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	2,600	D	\$ 65.14	80,259	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	7,900	D	\$ 65.15	72,359	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	800	D	\$ 65.16	71,559	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	2,500	D	\$ 65.17	69,059	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	2,900	D	\$ 65.18	66,159	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	6,800	D	\$ 65.2	59,359	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	1,500	D	\$ 65.24	57,859	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	2,900	D	\$ 65.25	54,959	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	1,800	D	\$ 65.26	53,159	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2008	S	2,500	D	\$ 65.3	50,659	D	
Common Stock						555 ⁽¹⁾	I	Thrift Plan Trust

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MONTGOMERY ROSEMARY J UNITED AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY 3700 SOUTH STONEBRIDGE DRIVE MCKINNEY, TX 75070			EVP & Chief Actuary	

Signatures

Rosemary J. Montgomery, By: /s/ Carol A. McCoy,
Attorney-in-fact

04/30/2008

**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) Shares in unitized fund in employee benefit plan - estimated conversion of \$ balance to shares using \$65.18 per share.

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