| NMI Holdings, Form 4 November 12, 2 FORM 4 Check this be if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue <i>See</i> Instruction 1(b). | 2014 4 UNITED S ⁷ ^{50x} STATEMI Filed pursu e. Section 17(a) | ENT OF (uant to Se) of the Pu | Wash CHANG ection 16 ublic Uti | hington, GES IN I SECUR | D.C. 20 BENEFI ITIES Securit ing Com | 549 CIA ies E ipany | L OW | COMMISSION NERSHIP OF e Act of 1934, f 1935 or Sectio 40 | OMB Number: Expires: Estimated a burden hou response | irs per | |
|---|---|--|---|---------------------------------------|--|------------------------------|-------------|---|--|---------|--|
| (Print or Type Resp | (Print or Type Responses) | | | | | | | | | | |
| Merkle Claudia J Symbol | | | | Name and Ticker or Trading | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | |
| (Last) | (First) (Mi | | NMI Holdings, Inc. [NMIH]3. Date of Earliest Transaction | | | (Check all applicable) | | | | | |
| C/O NMI HOLDINGS, INC., 2100 (Month/Da POWELL STREET, 12TH FL. | | | | - | | | | Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) EVP, Chief Insurance Officer | | | |
| Filed(Mont | | | | ndment, Date Original th/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 | | | |
| EIVIER I VILLE, CA 94008 Person | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (City) | | Zip) | | 2 I - Non-Do | | | | uired, Disposed of | | - | |
| | | ransaction Date 2A. Deemed onth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | | n(A) or Di (D) | ispose | d of | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | |
| Class A | | | | Code V | Amount | | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | |
| Class A Common Shares, 1 \$0.01 par value per share | 1/07/2014 | | | М | 1,667 | Α | \$ 0 (1) | 3,032 | D | | |
| Class A Common Shares, 1 \$0.01 par value per share | 1/10/2014 | | | S <u>(2)</u> | 537 | D | \$ 9.64 | 2,495 | D | | |

Edgar Filing: NMI Holdings, Inc. - Form 4

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

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) | Code Securities | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst |
|---|---|---|---|-----------------|---------|--|--------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Restricted Stock Unit (right to receive) | \$ 0 | 11/07/2014 | | М | 1,667 | (3) | (3) | Class A Common Shares, \$0.01 par value per share | 1,667 | 4 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|------------------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| Merkle Claudia J C/O NMI HOLDINGS, INC. 2100 POWELL STREET, 12TH FL. EMERYVILLE, CA 94608 | | | EVP, Chief Insurance Officer | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | | |
| /s/ Nicole C. Sanchez as Attorney-in-Fact | 11/12/2 | 2014 | | | | | |
| **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 convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis.

(2)

Edgar Filing: NMI Holdings, Inc. - Form 4

Represents shares sold pursuant to a Sell-to-Cover Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on September 4, 2014 to pay withholding taxes due in connection with the vesting of certain restricted stock units on November 7, 2014.

Granted pursuant to the NMI Holdings, Inc. 2012 Stock Incentive Plan. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one NMI Holdings, Inc. common share upon vesting and settlement. The restricted stock unit award is scheduled to vest as follows: (i)

(3) 1,667 units will vest based on continued service on the second anniversary date following the grant date, on November 7, 2014, (ii) 1,666 units will vest based on continued service on the third anniversary date following the grant date, on November 7, 2015, (iii) 2,224 units will vest after the per share stock price equals or exceeds \$14.00 for a 30-day trading period, and (iv) 2,221 units will vest after the per share stock price equals or exceeds \$16.00 for a 30-day trading period.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.