

Sammann Derek
Form 4
March 19, 2018

FORM 4

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Sammann Derek

(Last) (First) (Middle)

20 S. WACKER DRIVE

(Street)

CHICAGO, IL 60606

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

CME GROUP INC. [CME]

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

03/15/2018

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)

Sr MD Gl Hd Commodity & Option

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)

____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock Class A	03/15/2018		A	(A) or (D) Amount 2,405 (1)	\$ 0 16,339	D	
Common Stock Class A	03/15/2018		A	(A) or (D) Amount 5,023 (2)	\$ 0 21,362	D	
Common Stock Class A	03/15/2018		F	(A) or (D) Amount 1,067 (3)	\$ 165.66 20,295	D	
Common Stock	03/15/2018		F	(A) or (D) Amount 1,989 (3)	\$ 165.66 18,306	D	

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Class A

Common

Stock 03/16/2018

F

127 ⁽⁴⁾ D

\$
165.12

18,179

D

Class A

Common

Stock

Class A

1,230

I

by
Children

Common

Stock

Class A

12,540

I

by Spouse

Common

Stock

Class A

10,724

I

by Trust

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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 Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 6)
				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
Sammann Derek 20 S. WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60606	Sr MD Gl Hd Commodity & Option

Signatures

By: Margaret Austin Wright For: Derek Louis
Sammann

03/19/2018

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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Represents shares earned from a 2015 performance share award based on the company's achievement of net income margin growth
(1) relative to the diversified financial services index of the S&P 500 and total shareholder return relative to the S&P 500 measured over 2015-2017.

Represents shares earned from a 2014 performance share award based on the company's achievement of net income margin growth
(2) relative to the diversified financial services index of the S&P 500 and total shareholder return relative to the S&P 500 measured over 2015-2017.

(3) Mr. Sammann surrendered shares to the Company in order to fulfill tax withholding obligations in connection with the receipt of the performance share award.

(4) Mr. Sammann surrendered shares to the Company in order to fulfill tax withholding obligations upon the vesting of restricted stock on 3/16/18.

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