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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Tandon Vipul

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Middle)

Essent Group Ltd. [ESNT]

(Check all applicable)

C/O ESSENT GROUP

(First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/06/2014

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title \_ Other (specify

LTD., CLARENDON HOUSE, 2 **CHURCH STREET** 

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Filed(Month/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

HAMILTON, D0 HM11

	(City)	(State) (Z	<sup>Zip)</sup> Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securities on Acquired (A) or			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
	(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Beneficially Owned Following	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						(A) or		Reported Transaction(s)	(msu. 4)	(msu. 4)
				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
	Common shares, par value \$0.015	05/06/2014		A	3,235	A	(1)	3,235	D	
	Common shares, par value \$0.015	05/06/2014		A	5,789	A	(2)	9,024	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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amoun	it of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ies	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative			Securities Acquired				(Instr. 3	3 and 4)		Own
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						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable Date	Title Numb	Number			
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Tandon Vipul C/O ESSENT GROUP LTD. CLARENDON HOUSE, 2 CHURCH STREET HAMILTON, D0 HM11

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Lawrence E. McAlee, as attorney-in-fact

05/07/2014

X

\*\*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).
- Represents restricted shares granted under the issuer's 2013 Long-Term Incentive Plan pursuant to the issuer's director compensation plan (1) for service during the period between the issuer's initial public offering in November 2013 and April 2014. The restricted shares will vest on November 1, 2014.
- (2) Represents restricted shares granted under the issuer's 2013 Long-Term Incentive Plan pursuant to the issuer's director compensation plan for service from May 2014 through April 2015. The restricted shares will vest on May 6, 2015.

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