#### WEINSTOCK DAVID B

Form 4

September 17, 2018

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Name and Address of Reporting Person WEINSTOCK DAVID B	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	Essent Group Ltd. [ESNT]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  09/14/2018	(Check all applicable)  Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (speci			
LTD., CLARENDON HOUSE, 2 CHURCH STREET	07/14/2010	below)  VP & Chief Accounting Officer			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	<ul><li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Chec Applicable Line)</li><li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li></ul>			
HAMILTON, D0 HM11 (City) (State) (Zip)	Table I. Non Donivetive Committee	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  Acquired Disposed of or Repoficially Over			

(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Tany Company		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities A on(A) or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4 and	ed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common shares, par value	09/14/2018		Code V S <u>(1)</u>	or Amount (D) 2,000 D		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)  25,866 (3)	D	
\$0.015					(2)			

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 Exer	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

WEINSTOCK DAVID B C/O ESSENT GROUP LTD. CLARENDON HOUSE, 2 CHURCH STREET HAMILTON, D0 HM11

VP & Chief Accounting Officer

## **Signatures**

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

09/17/2018

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- The sales reflected in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 15, (1)
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$45.50 to \$45.53, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Essent Group Ltd., any security holder of Essent Group Ltd., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth above.
- Since the date of the reporting person's last ownership report, he transferred 538 common shares of ESNT to his former wife pursuant to a domestic relations order. The reporting person no longer reports as beneficially owned any securities owned by his former wife.

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