Gibbons Mary Lourdes Form 5 February 14, 2018

FORM 5

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Transactions Reported 1. Name and Address of Reporting F Gibbons Mary Lourdes	Name and Ticker or Trading Group Ltd. [ESNT]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
(Last) (First) (M C/O ESSENT GROUP LTD., CLARENDON HOU CHURCH STREET	ement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended h/Day/Year) 1/2017				(Check all applicable) Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP and Chief Legal Officer					
(Street)	mendment, Date Original Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line)						
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(City) (State) (Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-Deri	vative Sec	curitie	s Acqu	ired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	lly Owned		
1.Title of 2. Transaction Date Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)	ransaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securit onth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Acquired Disposed		ed (A) or See ed of (D) Be 3, 4 and 5) Or (A) Fi		Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common shares, par value \$0.015	Â	G	Amount 300	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4) 247,973	D	Â		
Reminder: Report on a separate line securities beneficially owned directly			n this for	m are	not re	llection of info	ond unless	SEC 2270 (9-02)		

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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. Titl	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Number	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ties	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						_			or	
						Date	Expiration	Title	Number	
						Exercisable	Date	(of	
					(A) (D)				Shares	

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Gibbons Mary Lourdes C/O ESSENT GROUP LTD. CLARENDON HOUSE, 2 CHURCH STREET HAMILTON, DO HM11	Â	Â	SVP and Chief Legal Officer	Â		

Signatures

/s/ Lawrence E. McAlee, as attorney-in-fact 02/14/2018

**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).

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