FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* ZUNKER ARTHUR R JR						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EAGLE MATERIALS INC [EXP/EXPB]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3811 TURTLE CREEK BLVD SUITE 1100						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/04/2004									SVP, Treasurer & CFO				
(Street) DALLAS TX 75219						mendr 5/2004		t, Date	of Original	Filed	(Month/E		Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting						
(City) (State) (Zip)													Person						
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 3. Transaction 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Transaction 3. Transaction 3. Transaction 4. Securities Acquired (B) or Transaction 4. Securities Acquired (B) or Transaction 3. Transaction 4. Securities Acquired (B) or Transaction 4. S																		
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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 Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	Cod	Transaction Code (Instr.				6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Amount of		of S Ig e Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form Director Ind (I) (In	t (D) lirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Cod	e V		A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	1					
Non- Qualified EBIT Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$69.9 ⁽¹⁾	08/04/2004		A ⁽¹)	C) ⁽¹⁾		(1)		(1)	Common Stock	0	\$0.00	0	1)		
Non- Qualified ROE Stock Option (Right to	\$69.9 ⁽¹⁾	08/04/2004		A ⁽¹		0) ⁽¹⁾		(1)		(1)	Common Stock	0	\$0.00	0	1)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. The Stock Options shown on the original Form 4 were subject to the satisfaction of performance conditions and therefore the grant of such options is not deemed to have occurred as of the date shown thereon.

Remarks:

James H. Graass, Attorney-in-Fact for Arthur R. Zunker, Jr.

05/06/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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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