SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 Schedule 13G Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 EAGLE MATERIALS INC (Name of Issuer) Common Stock (Title of Class of Securities) 26969P108 (CUSIP Number) December 31, 2005 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement) Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed: Rule 13d-1(b) *The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior page. The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes). CUSIP No. 26969P108 (1) Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only). BARCLAYS GLOBAL INVESTORS, NA., 943112180 (2) Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group* (a) / / (b) /X/ (3) SEC Use Only ______ (4) Citizenship or Place of Organization U.S.A. (5) Sole Voting Power Number of Shares Beneficially Owned 284,843 by Each Reporting Person With (6) Shared Voting Power (7) Sole Dispositive Power 341,543 (8) Shared Dispositive Power (9) Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person (10) Check Box if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares* (11) Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 3.59%

[X]

(12) Type of Reporting Person*

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CUSIP No.	26969P108				
(1) Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only).					
BARCLAY	S GLOBAL FUND ADVISORS				
(2) Check the a (a) // (b) /X/	<pre>(2) Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group* (a) / /</pre>				
(3) SEC Use Onl	у				
(4) Citizenship U.S.A.	or Place of Organization				
Number of Shares Beneficially Owr by Each Reportir	vned	(5) Sole Voting Power 197,756			
Person With		(6) Shared Voting Power			
		(7) Sole Dispositive Power 198,630			
		(8) Shared Dispositive Power			
(9) Aggregate A 198,630	mount Beneficially Owned by Each				
(10) Check Box	if the Aggregate Amount in Row (
(11) Percent of 2.09%	Class Represented by Amount in	Row (9)			
(12) Type of Re IA	porting Person*				
CUSIP No.	26969P108 				
(1) Names of R I.R.S.	eporting Persons. Identification Nos. of above per	sons (entities only).			
BARCLAY	S GLOBAL INVESTORS, LTD				
(2) Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group* (a) // (b) /X/					
(3) SEC Use Onl	y				
(4) Citizenship England	or Place of Organization				
Number of Share Beneficially Ow by Each Reporti Person With	ares Owned	(5) Sole Voting Power			
		(6) Shared Voting Power			
		(7) Sole Dispositive Power			
		(8) Shared Dispositive Power			

(9) Aggregate					
(10) Check Box if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares*					
(11) Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 0.00%					
(12) Type of Reporting Person* BK					
CUSIP No.	26969P108				
(1) Names of R	(1) Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only).				
BARCLAY	'S GLOBAL INVESTORS JAPAN TRUST				
(2) Check the a (a) // (b) /X/	appropriate box if a member of a	·			
(3) SEC Use Onl	Ly				
(4) Citizenship or Place of Organization Japan					
Number of Share Beneficially Ow		(5) Sole Voting Power			
by Each Reporti Person With	ng	(6) Shared Voting Power			
		(7) Sole Dispositive Power			
		(8) Shared Dispositive Power			
(9) Aggregate					
	if the Aggregate Amount in Row				
(11) Percent of 0.00%	Class Represented by Amount in				
(12) Type of Reporting Person*					
	NAME OF ISSUER EAGLE MATERIALS INC				
ITEM 1(B).	ADDRESS OF ISSUER'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES 2728 N Harwood - 6Th Floor Dallas, Tx 75201				
ITEM 2(A).	NAME OF PERSON(S) FILING BARCLAYS GLOBAL INVEST				
ITEM 2(B).	ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE OR, IF NONE, RESIDENCE 45 Fremont Street San Francisco, CA 94105				
ITEM 2(C).					
ITEM 2(D).	TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES Common Stock				
ITEM 2(E).	CUSIP NUMBER 26969P108				

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13D-2(B), CHECK WHETHER THE PERSON FILING IS A
(a) // Broker or Dealer registered under Section 15 of the Act
       (15 U.S.C. 780).
(b) /X/ Bank as defined in section 3(a) (6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).
(c) // Insurance Company as defined in section 3(a) (19) of the Act
       (15 U.S.C. 78c).
      Investment Company registered under section 8 of the Investment
(d) //
       Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8).
       Investment Adviser in accordance with section 240.13d(b)(1)(ii)(E).
(e) //
(f) //
       Employee Benefit Plan or endowment fund in accordance with section
       240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F).
(g) //
       Parent Holding Company or control person in accordance with section
       240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G).
      A savings association as defined in section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit
(h) //
       Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813).
(i) // A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment
       company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940
       (15U.S.C. 80a-3).
      Group, in accordance with section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J)
(j) //
             NAME OF ISSUER
ITEM 1(A).
      EAGLE MATERIALS INC
ADDRESS OF ISSUER'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES
ITEM 1(B).
              2728 N Harwood - 6Th Floor
             Dallas, Tx 75201
ITEM 2(A). NAME OF PERSON(S) FILING
               BARCLAYS GLOBAL FUND ADVISORS
ITEM 2(B). ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE OR, IF NONE, RESIDENCE
                 45 Fremont Street
                            San Francisco, CA 94105
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ITEM 2(C). CITIZENSHIP
ITEM 2(D). TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES
               Common Stock
ITEM 2(E). CUSIP NUMBER
               26969P108
ITEM 3. IF THIS STATEMENT IS FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13D-1(B), OR
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       (15U.S.C. 80a-3).
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ITEM 1(A).
           NAME OF 10001...
EAGLE MATERIALS INC
ITEM 1(B). ADDRESS OF ISSUER'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES
2728 N Harwood - 6Th Floor
              2728 N Harwood - 6Th Floor
             Dallas, Tx 75201
ITEM 2(A). NAME OF PERSON(S) FILING
               BARCLAYS GLOBAL INVESTORS, LTD
. ......
ITEM 2(B).
              ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE OR, IF NONE, RESIDENCE
                      Murray House
                             1 Royal Mint Court
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IF THIS STATEMENT IS FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13D-1(B), OR

ITEM 3.

ITEM 2(C). CITIZENSHIP England _ _____ ITEM 2(D). TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES Common Stock ITEM 2(E). CUSIP NUMBER 26969P108 ITEM 3. IF THIS STATEMENT IS FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13D-1(B), OR 13D-2(B), CHECK WHETHER THE PERSON FILING IS A (a) // Broker or Dealer registered under Section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780). (b) /X/ Bank as defined in section 3(a) (6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c). Insurance Company as defined in section 3(a) (19) of the Act (c) // (15 U.S.C. 78c). (d) // Investment Company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8). Investment Adviser in accordance with section 240.13d(b)(1)(ii)(E). (e) // (f) // Employee Benefit Plan or endowment fund in accordance with section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F). (g) // Parent Holding Company or control person in accordance with section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G). A savings association as defined in section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit (h) // Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813).
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percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.				
(a)		neficially Owned: 540,173		
	Percent o	f Class: 5.68%		
(c)		shares as to which such person has: sole power to vote or to direct the vote 482,599		
	, ,	shared power to vote or to direct the vote		
	(iii)	sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of 540,173		
	(iv) s	hared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of		
If the perceited item	5. OWNERS his statem reporting ent of the 6. OWNERS The sh econom Items 7. IDENTI THE SE	HIP OF FIVE PERCENT OR LESS OF A CLASS ent is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five class of securities, check the following. // HIP OF MORE THAN FIVE PERCENT ON BEHALF OF ANOTHER PERSON ares reported are held by the company in trust accounts for the ic benefit of the beneficiaries of those accounts. See also 2(a) above. FICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSIDIARY WHICH ACQUIRED CURITY BEING REPORTED ON BY THE PARENT HOLDING COMPANY Not applicable FICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF MEMBERS OF THE GROUP Not applicable OF DISSOLUTION OF GROUP Not applicable		
ITEM	10.	CERTIFICATION		
		e following certification shall be included if the statement led pursuant to section 240.13d-1(b):		
		By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose		

or effect.

(b) The following certification shall be included if the statement is filed pursuant to section 240.13d-1(c):

> By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

January 31,	2006	
 Date		
 Signature		

Mei Lau Financial Reporting Manager -----Name/Title