FORM 4

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>HIRSCH LAURENCE E</u> | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EAGLE MATERIALS INC [[EXP]] | | | | | | | | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner | | | | | |
|---|---|----|-----------|----------|--|---|--|---------------------------------|------------------------------|---------|--|---|-------|---|--|---|-------------|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 3811 TURTLE CREEK BLVD., #1100 | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/02/2006 | | | | | | | | - | _ | er (give title | | Other (specify below) | |
| (Street) DALLAS TX 75219 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | Line) | 5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transactic Date (Month/Day/ | | | | | tion | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, If any | | | 3. Transa Code (8) | ction | sposed of, or Benefic 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | | 5. Amount of | | Form | : Direct Indirect | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
| | | | | | | | | , | Code | v | Amount | (A) o | Price | : | Reporte Transac (Instr. 3 | d tion(s) | (,, (| | (Instr. 4) |
| Restricted Common Stock Units ⁽¹⁾ 11/02/20 | | | | | 2006 | | | | A | | 44.7403 | A | \$0.0 | 00(1) | 9,928 | 3.5182 | | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 672 | ,963 | | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 400 | ,000 | | I | By Highlander Partners, L.P. |
| | | Та | able II - | | | | | | | | osed of, convertib | | | | Owned | | | , | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | ve Conversion Date Execution Date or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any | | | on Date, | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5 | ative rities ired osed | 6. Date | tion Da | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) | | De Se (Ir | Price of erivative ecurity istr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4) | is Silly | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4) |

Explanation of Responses:

1. The grant reported above represents Restricted Common Stock Units ("RSUs") accrued in connection with a dividend paid by Issuer on its Common Stock and as a result of certain dividend equivalent rights associated with the reporting person's existing RSUs.

Remarks:

/s/ James H. Graass as

Attorney-in-Fact for Laurence 11/03/2006

E. Hirsch

** 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).
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