FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BARNETT F WILLIAM						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EAGLE MATERIALS INC [EXP]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3800 MAPLEWOOD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/20/2010										ector cer (give title ow)		o Owner er (specify w)
(Street) DALLAS TX 75205 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Lir	ne) X For For	or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable orm filed by One Reporting Person orm filed by More than One Reporting erson			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3 5)					d Secu Bene	nount of rities ficially ed Following	6. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect t Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount (A)		A) or D)	Price	Trans	saction(s) : 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Restricted Common Stock Units ⁽¹⁾ 07/20/2						2010		A		33.0309 A		Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	1) 8,	254.4192	D		
	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)	vative Conversion Date Executity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if an		3A. Deemee Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date, Transaction Code (Instr		Instr.	r. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Date Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amount or Number of Title Shares		unt ber	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indirec (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

1. The grant reported above represents Restricted Common Stock Units ("RSUs") accrued in connection with a cash 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.

/s/ Scott M. Wilson as Attorney-in-Fact for F. William 07/22/2010 Barnett

** 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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