FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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 Is Check all applicable) X Director 10% C			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3800 MAPLEWOOD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/01/2012										icer (give title ow)	Othe belov	(specify v)
(Street) DALLAS TX 75205 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ne) <mark>X</mark> Fo Fo	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,			Transaction Disposed Of (I Code (Instr. 5)		ies Acquired (A) Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			nd Sec Ben Owr	mount of urities eficially ed Following orted	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	Amount (A		Price	Tran	saction(s) r. 3 and 4)		(iiisti. 4)
Restricted Common Stock Units ⁽¹⁾ 05/01/							2012		A		23.4748 A		A	\$0	(1) 8	470.8761	D	
		Та	ble II - D								sed of, onvertib				y Owne	d		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	vative Conversion Date Execution Date or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amour or Numbe of Title Shares		ount	8. Price o Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (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 05/03/2012

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** 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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