FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Powers David B (Last) (First) (Middle) 3811 TURTLE CREEK BLVD., #1100 (Street) DALLAS TX 75219						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EAGLE MATERIALS INC [EXP] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/21/2011 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									X X	tionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Executive Vice President idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				wner (specify pplicable
(City)	(St		Zip)	Doriv	rativo	rative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned														
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						ction 2A. Deemed Execution Dat			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				or 5. Amo and Securi Benefi Owned Report		ount of ties cially d Following ted	Form (D) o	wnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or D)	Price	e		nsaction(s) tr. 3 and 4)						
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ 04/21						/2011					11,66	7	A	\$ <mark>0</mark>		22,927			D	
Common Stock																1,506			I	By 401(k)
	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)	Derivative Conversion Date Executi Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any						on of		6. Date E: Expiratio (Month/D	9	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe			t			F D O	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

1. On May 18, 2010, the reporting was granted up to 11,667 shares of restricted stock subject to the following conditions: (i) the achievement by the Company of performance vesting criteria based on the Company's return on equity measured at the end of fiscal 2011, and (ii) the reporting person holding the award until he meets the requirements for "Retirement" (as described in the reporting person's Restricted Stock Agreement). On April 21, 2011, the performance vesting criteria was determined to have been met. The shares will fully vest upon the reporting person's continued employment and satisfaction of the other requirements for "Retirement".

> /s/ Scott M. Wilson as 04/25/2011 Attorney-in-Fact for David B. **Powers**

** 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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