FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Kesler Dale Craig</u> | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EAGLE MATERIALS INC [EXP] | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner | | | | |
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| | RTLE CRE | , | (Middle |) | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/02/2016 | | | | | | | | X | | | r (specify v) | | |
| (Street) DALLAS TX 75219 | | | | | 4. | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | 6. Indiv Line) X | Form fi | ual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
| (City) | (S | • | (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye | | | | | ion | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, | | | | | | of, or Beneficially (Acquired (A) or (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amou Securiti Benefici | int of es ially Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code V | | Amount | (A) or (D) Price | | Transa (Instr. 3 | | tion(s) | | (| |
| Common Stock 12/02 | | | | | 016 | .6 | | | М | | 10,653 | A | \$27.53 | | 74,089 | | D | | |
| Common Stock | | | | 12/02/2 | 016 | | | | S | | 10,653 | D | \$100.3 | 145(1) | 63 | ,436 | D | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1, | 672 | I | By 401(k) | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | 160 I By IRA | | | | | | | | |
| | | - | Table | | | | | | | | posed of | | | | wned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | if any | | 4. Transa Code (8) | 5. Number | | umber vative urities uired or osed o) (Instr. | 6. Da Expi (Mor | | cisable and ate | 7. Title and Amou of Securities Underlying Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4) | | unt 8. | Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4) | Ownersh Form: y Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr. | Beneficia Ownersh ct (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exer | cisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amou or Numb of Share | per | | | | | |
| Non- Qualified Stock Option (Right to | \$27.53 | 12/02/2016 | | | M | | | 10,653 | | (2) | 06/27/2021 | Commo Stock | | 53 | \$0.00 | 0 | D | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. This price represents the weighted average purchase price for multiple transactions reported on this line. The prices of the transactions reported on this line range from \$100.30 to \$100.30. Upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, the reporting person will undertake to provide full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which transactions were effected.

Remarks:

/s/ Scott M. Wilson as Attorney-in-Fact for Dale Craig 12/02/2016 Kesler

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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^{2.} Shares vested ratably on anniversaries of date of grant.

 $^{^{\}star}$ 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).