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* <u>ESSL GERALD J</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EAGLE MATERIALS INC [EXP]									Check all a Dir	oplicable) ector		Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3811 TURTLE CREEK BLVD. STE #1100					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2013										icer (give title low) Executive V	otner belov Vice Presiden	,	
(Street) DALLAS (City)	S T2		75219 (Zip)		_ 4. If	Ame	ndment	, Date d	of Origina	al File	d (Month/Da	ay/Year)		ine) X Fo Fo	rm filed by On	p Filing (Check of the Reporting Per or than One Re	son
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day				Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)					d 5) Sec Ben	rities F ficially (ed Following (6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or	Price	Trar	saction(s) r. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 03/31/20					/2013	013		F		5,136	5,136 D \$6		\$66.6	63 ⁽³⁾ 38,798 ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾		D		
Restricted Common Stock Units																0(2)	D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deer Execution if any (Month/I		4. Transactic Code (Inst 8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo	r osed) r. 3, 4	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y		te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Number of Title Shares		ount nber	8. Price of 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. 2,800 shares were withheld by the issuer to satisfy income tax withholding requirements related to the lapsing of restrictions on 6,675 shares of restricted stock awarded to the reporting person on June 27, 2011 (Form 4 filed on May 7, 2012). Because the reporting person's restricted stock holdings have been included in the direct ownership of Common Stock disclosed by the reporting person, the reporting person's direct ownership has been reduced by 2,800 to reflect this tax withholding.
- 2. 2,336 shares were withheld by the issuer to satisfy income tax withholding requirements related to the reporting person's receipt of 5,569 shares of Common Stock (which includes shares for previously reported Divident Equivalent Units which were rounded up to whole shares upon payout) upon the payout of Restricted Common Stock Units awarded to the reporting person on May 18, 2010 (Form 4 filed on 5/10/2011).
- 3. In accordance with the issuer's Incentive Plan, this price represents the closing price per share of Common Stock on the previous trading date.

/s/ Scott M. Wilson as

Attorney-in-Fact for Gerald J. 04/02/2013

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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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