

Powers David B  
 Form 4  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Powers David B

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3811 TURTLE CREEK BLVD.,  
 #1100

(Street)

DALLAS, TX 75219

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 EAGLE MATERIALS INC [EXP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/29/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Common Stock                    | 11/29/2012                           |  | M                              | (A)<br>or<br>(D)<br>A   | Amount<br>21,321<br>(1)<br>Price<br>\$ 26.695   | 81,726 (2)   | D   |
| Common Stock                    | 11/29/2012                           |  | S                              | (A)<br>or<br>(D)<br>D   | Amount<br>21,321<br>(1)<br>Price<br>\$ 54.849<br>(3)  | 60,405   | D   |
| Restricted Common Stock Units   |                                      |  |                                |   | 4,041.9907  | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 1,388   | I  | By 401(k)   |

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

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**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) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Non-qualified Stock Option (Option to Buy) | \$ 26.695  | 11/29/2012                           |  | M                              | 21,321  | <sup>(4)</sup> 08/21/2015                                | Common Stock  | 21,321                     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                       | Relationships |           |                          |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                  | Other |
| Powers David B<br>3811 TURTLE CREEK BLVD., #1100<br>DALLAS, TX 75219 |               |           | Executive Vice President |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Scott M. Wilson as Attorney-in-Fact for David B. Powers  
 11/30/2012  
 \*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) The reported transactions were effected for tax planning purposes.  
 Reflects the inclusion of restricted shares inadvertently omitted from the reporting person's Form 4 filed on May 7, 2012 ("Original Form 4"). The number of securities reported on the Original Form 4 inadvertently reflected only the increase in shares held as a result of the
- (2) lapsing of the restrictions on the first one-fifth of the earned restricted stock. In order to be consistent with the reporting of other earned restricted share awards, the reporting person is including the entire earned restricted stock amount in the holdings, subject to the schedule for the lapsing of restrictions on the remaining shares as stated in footnote (1) of the Original Form 4.
- (3)

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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 \$54.85 to \$54.918. 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.

(4) Shares vested upon achievement of certain earnings and safety goals.

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