

HEXCEL CORP /DE/
Form 4
November 10, 2016

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Merlot Thierry

(Last) (First) (Middle)

HEXCEL CORPORATION, 281
TRESSER BLVD.

(Street)

STAMFORD, CT 06901

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

HEXCEL CORP /DE/ [HXL]

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

11/09/2016

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)

President, Aerospace - EMEA/AP

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ 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. 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Instr.)						
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units <u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	11/09/2016	A		3.03 <u>(2)</u>		<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	3.03	<u>(1)</u>
Restricted Stock Units <u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	11/09/2016	A		3.13 <u>(4)</u>		<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	3.13	<u>(1)</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Merlot Thierry HEXCEL CORPORATION 281 TRESSER BLVD. STAMFORD, CT 06901			President, Aerospace - EMEA/AP	

Signatures

/s/ Thierry Merlot, by Adam P. Gold,
Attorney-in-fact

11/10/2016

 Signature of Reporting Person

 Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) The underlying Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") were granted in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b. Upon vesting, RSUs are converted into an equivalent number of shares of Common Stock that are distributed to the grantee.

(2) On January 27, 2015, the reporting person was granted 1,297 RSUs. Dividend equivalent rights accrue with respect to the unvested RSUs when and as dividends are paid on Hexcel common stock. The 3.03 dividend equivalent rights reflect dividend equivalent rights at \$47.73 per RSU owned by the reporting person on the record date and credited to the reporting person's account on November 9, 2016.

(3) The RSUs vest and convert into an equivalent number of shares of Common Stock on the second anniversary from the grant date. Vesting of the RSUs is also subject to certain acceleration and termination provisions.

(4) On January 26, 2016, the reporting person was granted 1,349 RSUs. Dividend equivalent rights accrue with respect to the unvested RSUs when and as dividends are paid on Hexcel common stock. The 3.13 dividend equivalent rights reflect dividend equivalent rights at \$47.73 per RSU owned by the reporting person on the record date and credited to the reporting person's account on November 9, 2016.

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