### HIRSCH LAURENCE E

Form 4

DALLAS, TX 75219

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	UNITEL	) STATES	SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE C Washington, D.C. 20549	OMMISSION	OMB Number:	3235-0287
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1. Name and Address HIRSCH LAURI		g Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol EAGLE MATERIALS INC [EXP/EXPB]	5. Relationship of I Issuer (Check	Reporting Person	. ,
(Last) (Sasta Suite 1100)	,	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/02/2004	below)	tle _X_ Othe below) cutive Chairma	

(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securi		r	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	•	any	Code	Disposed of (D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and (A) or	5)	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(msu. 5 and 4)		
Restricted Common Stock Units	11/02/2004		A	6	A	\$ 0 (1)	50,040	D	
Common Stock							10,637	I	By Family Limited Ptr.

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)

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HIRSCH LAURENCE E 3811 TURTLE CREEK BLVD, SUITE 1100 DALLAS, TX 75219	X			Non-Executive Chairman			

## **Signatures**

James H. Graass as attorney-in-fact for Laurence E.
Hirsch

\*\*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) These Restricted Common Stock Units accrued to Mr. Hirsch in connection with a dividend payment by Eagle Materials on its common stock and as a result of certain dividend equivalent rights associated with his existing Restricted Common Stock Units.

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