

HEXCEL CORP /DE/  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**GREENBRIAR CO INVESTMENT PARTNERS LP**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O GREENBRIAR EQUITY GROUP, 555 THEODORE FREMD AVENUE, SUITE A-201**

(Street)

**RYE, NY 10580**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**HEXCEL CORP /DE/ [HXL]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**08/17/2005**

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)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	08/17/2005			C	20,666	A	\$ 3 (1)
Common Stock	08/17/2005			S	20,664	D	\$ 17.1

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Series A Convertible Preferred Stock	\$ 3 <sup>(1)</sup>	08/17/2005		C	62	03/19/2003 01/22/2010	Common Stock	20,666

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GREENBRIAR CO INVESTMENT PARTNERS LP C/O GREENBRIAR EQUITY GROUP 555 THEODORE FREMD AVENUE, SUITE A-201 RYE, NY 10580		X		

## Signatures

GREENBRIAR CO-INVESTMENT PARTNERS, L.P. By: Greenbriar Holdings LLC, its general partner /s/ Joel S. Beckman, Managing Member 08/18/2005

\_\_\_\_\_  
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).
- The conversion rate of the Series A Convertible Preferred Stock is determined using a Conversion price initially equal to \$3.00 (subject to adjustment in certain circumstances as provided in the applicable Certificate of Designations). On this basis, each share of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock is convertible into a number of shares of Common Stock equal to \$1000.00/\$3.00.

### Remarks:

The Reporting Person may be deemed to be, but does not admit to be, a member of a "group" holding over 10% of the issuer's outstanding common stock for purposes of Section 13(d)(3) of the Exchange Act.

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