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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 *
Graass James H

(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)
04/30/2007

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)

EVP & General Counsel

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V Amount (D) Price | | | |
| Restricted Common Stock Units (1) | 04/30/2007 | | A | 680 A \$ 0 (1) | 680 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 5,853 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 432 | I | By 401(k) Plan |

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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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 62.83 | 04/30/2007 | | A | 3,354 | (2) 05/09/2016 | Common Stock | 3,354 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Graass James H 3811 TURTLE CREEK BLVD., #1100 DALLAS, TX 75219 | | | EVP & General Counsel | |

Signatures

/s/ James H.
Graass

05/02/2007

**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) On May 9, 2006, the reporting person was granted up to 2,039 Restricted Common Stock Units ("RSUs") subject to the satisfaction of certain performance conditions. On April 30, 2007, the performance conditions as of March 31, 2007 were determined to have been satisfied such that 680 RSUs became vested and reportable on such date. The remaining RSUs have been forfeited. The Restricted Common Stock Unit grant reported above represents these vested RSUs which are issuable in shares of Common Stock as follows: two-thirds become issuable on March 31, 2008 (one-half of which is due to a deferral election by the reporting person); and the remaining one-third becomes issuable on March 31, 2009.

(2) On May 9, 2006, the reporting person was granted an option to purchase 4,044 shares of Common Stock. On April 30, 2007, the performance conditions as of March 31, 2007 were determined to have been satisfied such that stock options vested as to 3,354 shares exercisable as follows: one-third exercisable immediately, one-third exercisable on March 31, 2008; and one-third exercisable on March 31, 2009. The remaining options to purchase shares remain unvested until performance conditions are met.

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