HEXCEL CORP /DE/

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BECKMAN JOEL S**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

HEXCEL CORP /DE/ [HXL]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) (Last)

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

_X__ Director 10% Owner _ Other (specify Officer (give title

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

(State)

(Zin)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

12/20/2004

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

RYE, NY 10580

(City)

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ble I - Non	-Derivative Se	curiti	es Acquire	d, Disposed of, o	r Beneficially	y 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 2 orDisposed of ((Instr. 3, 4 an	(D)	red (A) or	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	12/20/2004		С	4,949,957	A	\$ 3 (2)	4,949,957	I	See footnote (1)
Common Stock	12/20/2004		S	4,949,957	D	\$ 13.335	0	I	See footnoe

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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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo Num Shar
Series A Convertible Preferred Stock	\$ 3 (2)	12/20/2004		С	7,233	03/19/2003	01/22/2010	Common Stock	2,4
Series B Convertible Preferred Stock	\$ 3 (2)	12/20/2004		С	38,937.5	03/19/2003	01/22/2010	Common Stock	2,5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiauonsnips					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BECKMAN JOEL S						
C/O GREENBRIAR EQUITY GROUP 555 THEODORE FREMD AVENUE, SUITE A-201	X					

Signatures

RYE, NY 10580

Joel S. Beckman 12/21/2004 **Signature of Date Reporting Person

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- 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).
- Other than 1,590 shares of Common Stock, which represent Restricted Stock Units granted to the Reporting Person under the Hexcel Corporation 2003 Incentive Stock Plan in his capacity as a director of the issuer, the shares reported on this statement were beneficially owned by or through certain affiliated investment entities. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of any shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest, if any.

The conversion rates of both the Series A Convertible Preferred Stock and the Series B Convertible Preferred Stock are determined using a conversion price initially equal to \$3.00 (subject to adjustment in certain circumstances as provided in the applicable Certificates of

(2) 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, and each share of Series B Convertible Preferred Stock is convertible into a number of shares of Common Stock equal to \$195.618/\$3.00.

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