

LEGANZA LEONARD F  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
LEGANZA LEONARD F

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
112 BRIDGE STREET  
(Street)

NAUGATUCK, CT 06770

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
EASTERN CO [EML]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/12/2007

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)  
Chairman, President & CEO

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 or Price		
Common Stock <u>(1)</u>	09/12/2007		M		29,875 A \$ 6.61	73,886	D
Common Stock <u>(2)</u>	09/12/2007		S		100 A \$ 20.15	73,786	D
Common Stock <u>(3)</u>	09/12/2007		S		1,200 A \$ 20.2	72,586	D

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
					V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	
Non-qualified employee stock option <u>(4)</u>	\$ 6.61	09/17/1997		M		29,875.5	09/17/2007	09/17/2007	Common Stock
Non-qualified employee stock option <u>(5)</u>	\$ 7.95	12/16/1997		A		0	12/16/1997	12/16/1997	Common Stock
Qualified employee stock option <u>(6)</u>	\$ 9.33	09/09/1998		A		0	09/09/1998	09/09/1998	Common Stock
Non-qualified employee stock option <u>(7)</u>	\$ 9.33	09/09/1998		A		0	09/09/1998	09/09/1998	Common Stock
Qualified employee stock option <u>(8)</u>	\$ 10.17	12/15/1999		A		0	12/15/1999	12/15/1999	Common Stock
Non-qualified employee stock option <u>(9)</u>	\$ 10.17	12/15/1999		A		0	12/15/1999	12/15/1999	Common Stock
Qualified employee stock option <u>(10)</u>	\$ 9.5	07/19/2000		A		0	<u>(10)</u>	07/19/2000	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

<b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>	<b>Relationships</b>
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