Vulcan Materials CO Form 4 April 09, 2008

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b). (Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SHEPHERD DANNY R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Vulcan Materials CO [VMC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(First)

1200 URBAN CENTER DRIVE

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner

04/07/2008

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP, CMG-East

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

BIRMINGHAM, AL 35242

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I)

Transaction(s)

Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Reported

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 2. 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 8 Derivative Security Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transactionof **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3) or Exercise Code Derivative (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) any

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	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)		red sed 3, 4,				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock (Deferred Compensation)	<u>(1)</u>	04/07/2008		A		107		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	107

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SHEPHERD DANNY R 1200 URBAN CENTER DRIVE BIRMINGHAM, AL 35242

SVP, CMG-East

Signatures

By: Amy M. Tucker, Attorney-in-Fact

04/09/2008

**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) Convertible on a 1-for-1 basis.
- (2) The units are to be settled in Vulcan common stock commencing at the retirement of the reporting person.

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