FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MCDONALD WILLIAM E					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MARTIN MARIETTA MATERIALS INC [MLM]								(Che	eck all appli	or r (give title	g Per	son(s) to Iss 10% O Other (below)	wner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2055 ALAQUA LAKES BOULEVARD2055 ALAQUA L					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2005 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)														
(Street)	OOD F	Ĺ ;	32779		4. If	Amer	ndment	, Date	of Original F	-iled	(Month/L	ay/Year)		Line) K Form	Joint/Group filed by One filed by Mor n	Rep	orting Perso	on
(City)	(S	tate) ((Zip)																
		Tab	le I - Non	-Deriva	ative	Sec	curitie	es Ac	quired, I	Disp	osed	of, or B	enef	iciall	y Owne	d			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date		r, Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amou Securiti Benefic Owned Reporte	ies For cially (D) Following (I)		n: Direct r Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
						Code V Amount (A) or (D)		rice	Transac (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(111501.4)						
	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		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisable ar Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	,	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)
				C	Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable		piration ite	Title	Amo or Num of Sha	ber					
Stock Units ⁽¹⁾	(2)	12/31/2004			A		59		(1)		(1)	Common Stock	5	9	\$42.93	7,865.71		D	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Roselyn R. Bar, attorney-infact

01/03/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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^{1.} The stock units were accrued under the Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Common Stock Purchase Plan for Directors (the "Plan") and are to be settled in stock in a lump sum or in installments not to exceed 10 years commencing on (i) the date the reporting person ceases to be a Non-Employee Director or (ii) the date that is one month and one year following the date the reporting person ceases to be a Non-Employee Director, in accordance with the reporting person's election under the Plan.

^{2.} Conversion price is 1 share of common stock for 1 unit.