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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 11-K

[] ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 (NO FEE REQUIRED)

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 1996

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[X] TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 (NO FEE REQUIRED)

For the transition period from October 18, 1996 to December 31, 1996

Commission file number: 1-12744

MARTIN MARIETTA MATERIALS, INC.
SAVINGS AND INVESTMENT PLAN FOR HOURLY EMPLOYEES
(Full title of the plan and the address of the plan,
if different from that of the issuer named below)

MARTIN MARIETTA MATERIALS, INC.
2710 WYCLIFF ROAD
RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA 27607

(Name of issuer of the securities held pursuant to the plan and the address of its principal executive office)

Audited Financial Statements

Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Savings and Investment Plan for Hourly Employees

Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Defined Contribution Plans Master Trust

For the Period from October 18, 1996 (inception) through December 31, 1996 with Report of Independent Auditors

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Report of Independent Auditors

Martin Marietta Materials, Inc., as Plan Administrator

We have audited the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits of the Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Savings and Investment Plan for Hourly Employees (the "Plan") and the Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Defined Contribution Plans Master Trust (the "Master Trust") as of December 31, 1996, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the period from October 18, 1996 (inception) to December 31, 1996. These financial statements are the responsibility of Martin Marietta Materials, Inc., as Plan Administrator. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial status of the Plan and the Master Trust at December 31, 1996, and the changes in the financial status of the Plan and the Master Trust for the period from October 18, 1996 (inception) to December 31, 1996 in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

Our audits were performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements taken as a whole. The Fund Information in the statements of net assets available for benefits and the statements of changes in net assets available for benefits is presented for purposes of additional analysis rather than to present the net assets available for benefits and changes in net assets available for benefits of each fund. The Fund Information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our audits of the financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

ERNST & YOUNG LLP

June 9, 1997 Raleigh, North Carolina

Statement of Net Assets Available for Benefits, with Fund Information

December 31, 1996

	YIELD-ENHANCED SHORT-TERM INVESTMENT FUND	S&P 500 INDEX FUND	MARTIN MARIETTA MATERIALS COMMON STOCK FUND	LOCKHEED MARTIN COMMON STOCK FUND	TOTAL
ASSETS Interest in Master Trust	\$4,009,919	\$1,318,468 =======	\$129,416	\$2,864,857 =======	\$8,322,660 ======
Net assets available for benefits	\$4,009,919	\$1,318,468	\$129,416	\$2,864,857	\$8,322,660

See accompanying notes.

Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits, with Fund Information

For the Period from October 18, 1996 (inception) through December 31, 1996

	YIELD-ENHANCED SHORT-TERM INVESTMENT FUND	S&P 500 INDEX FUND	MARTIN MARIETTA MATERIALS COMMON STOCK FUND	LOCKHEED MARTIN COMMON STOCK FUND	TOTAL
Net assets available for benefits at beginning of period	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Additions to net assets: Contributions: Employees	276,270	83,664	2,068		362,002
Interest in net investment gain (loss) of Master Trust	34,540	65,480	(1,884)	72,370	170,506
Total additions	310,810	149,144	184	72,370	532,508
Deductions from net assets: Distributions and withdrawals Administrative expenses	61,961 1,231	19,503 394	1,246 60	44,752 694	127,462 2,379
Total deductions	63,192	19,897	1,306	45,446	129,841
Net transfers from other plans	3,767,369	1,185,340	110,814	2,856,470	7,919,993
Net transfers between funds	(5,068)	3,881	19,724	(18,537)	
Net assets available for benefits at end of year	\$ 4,009,919	\$1,318,468	\$ 129,416	\$ 2,864,857	\$8,322,660

See accompanying notes.

Notes to Financial Statements

December 31, 1996

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Savings and Investment Plan for Hourly Employees (the "Plan") are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting. No liability is recorded for distributions to participants who terminated during the year but have chosen to defer payments to the following year. The assets of the Plan are held and invested on a commingled basis in the Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Defined Contribution Plans Master Trust (the "Master Trust") along with tax assets of the Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Performance Sharing Plan and the Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Money Accumulation Plan for Hourly Employees. The Plan's interest in the Master Trust is stated at the fair value of the underlying net assets in the Master Trust. Unrealized appreciation or depreciation in the aggregate and the gain or loss on disposition of investments during the year are determined using the average cost of investments. The assets, realized and unrealized gains and losses and investment income of the Master Trust are allocated among the participating plans on a pro rata basis. All administrative expenses, a portion of which are paid by Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. (the "Corporation"), are otherwise paid from the Master Trust and allocated to each of the participating plans.

Prior to October 1996, the Plan was not part of the Master Trust. Rather, the Plan's assets were invested in a master trust arrangement established for various plans affiliated with Lockheed Martin Corporation, the former parent of the Corporation. During October 1996, the Plan's assets were transferred directly from the master trust arrangement affiliated with Lockheed Martin Corporation into the Master Trust established for the plans sponsored by the Corporation and for certain other employees of members of the Corporation's controlled group of companies, as defined by Section 1563(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code ("IRC Section 1563(a)(1)").

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions, in particular the determination of fair values of investments for which market values are not readily available. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

2. DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN

In October 1996, Lockheed Martin Corporation disposed of its remaining ownership interest of the Corporation's common stock by means of a split-off, an exchange offer whereby Lockheed Martin Corporation's shareholders were given the opportunity to exchange some or all of their common stock of Lockheed Martin Corporation for shares of the Corporation's common stock. The Corporation subsequently registered its common stock for use in connection with the Plan.

In connection with the divestiture of Lockheed Martin Corporation's ownership interest in the Corporation, the Plan was established effective October 18, 1996, as a defined contribution plan providing hourly paid employees of the Corporation an opportunity to participate in an individual savings and investment program providing tax savings and retirement incentives. Martin Marietta Materials, Inc, is the Plan's sponsor, and also serves as the Plan administrator. Prior to October 1996, eligible employees participated in the Lockheed Martin Corporation Savings and Investment Plan for Hourly Employees, which was sponsored by Lockheed Martin Corporation. Employees of the Corporation and certain other employees of members of the Lockheed Martin Corporation controlled group of companies, as defined by IRC Section 1563(a)(1), were eligible to participate in the Plan.

Generally, the terms of - as well as the procedures for administering - the new Plan did not change. However, certain investment option funds available under the former plan were replaced with similar funds of the same type of risk and level of return. The risk and return investment objectives for the new funds in the Plan are similar to the investment objectives that existed in the former plan. Additionally, the underlying investment option available in the employer's company common stock fund was changed from Lockheed Martin Corporation common stock to that of Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Following the consummation date of the split-off, Plan participants are no longer able to make any participant-directed contributions into the Lockheed Martin Common Stock Fund nor add to an existing balance in a Lockheed Martin Common Stock Fund by purchasing additional shares of the underlying common stock. For the period through October 1998, Plan participants may transfer out any balance in the Lockheed Martin Common Stock Fund and any such balance is available for withdrawals, as permitted under the Plan. At the end of this period, participation in the Lockheed Martin Common Stock Fund will be terminated and any participants' remaining balances will be liquidated and reinvested automatically in the Yield-Enhanced Short-Term Investment Fund. No other significant plan changes were made as a result of the split-off transaction.

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

2. DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN (CONTINUED)

All hourly employees of the Corporation meeting eligibility requirements may participate with the exception of certain hourly employees of the former Dravo Basic Materials' employees. These employees participate in the Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Money Accumulation Plan for Hourly Employees. Other hourly employees of the Corporation may be extended Plan coverage through labor negotiations or at the discretion of the Corporation.

A covered employee is eligible to enroll in the Plan after 12 months of service. Employee participation requires employee before-tax contributions of 1% to 10% of earnings. Participants are fully vested in their contributions at all times. Participant- directed contributions may be invested in three of the ten investment funds available in the Master Trust, except for the restrictions in connection with the Lockheed Martin Common Stock Fund, as discussed above.

Participants may change the overall percentage of their contributions in 1% increments and may change investment elections for future before-tax contributions in 5% increments, both up to two times per year. In addition, participants may change the investment mix of the accumulated value of prior contributions among the investment options, excluding the Lockheed Martin Common Stock Fund, also up to twice a year. The plans provides for in-service withdrawals to participants that meet specific conditions of financial hardship, as defined and in accordance with current specific regulations under the Internal Revenue Code ("IRC"). Upon separation from the Corporation, participants may elect to receive the full current value of their contributions.

During 1996, the Plan received \$7,919,993 from the Lockheed Martin Corporation Savings and Investment Plan for Hourly Employees. This amount represents the transfer of account balances of eligible participants pursuant to the establishment of the Plan.

State Street Bank and Trust Company is the trustee of the Master Trust and recordkeeper of the Master Trust and Plan.

Although the Corporation expects to continue the Plan indefinitely, the Board of Directors of the Corporation may terminate the Plan for any reason at any time. If the Plan is terminated, each participant or former participant shall receive a payment equal to the value of the participant's account.

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

3. INCOME TAX STATUS

The Plan is in the process of applying for a determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service. Management believes that the Plan meets the qualification requirements under the IRC Section 401(a) for tax-exempt status. Therefore, no provision has been made in the financial statements for federal income taxes.

4. MASTER TRUST

The Plan's interest in the Master Trust's net assets as of December 31, 1996, was 10.45%. The Plan's interest in the Master Trust did not fluctuate significantly throughout the period from October 18, 1996 (inception) through December 31, 1996. The following audited financial statements of the Master Trust contain additional information concerning the Plan's interest in the Master Trust.

Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Defined Contribution Plans Master Trust Statement of Net Assets Available for Benefits, with Fund Information December 31, 1996 (In Thousands)

	YIELD-ENHANCED SHORT-TERM INVESTMENT FUND	S&P 500 INDEX FUND	MARTIN MARIETTA MATERIALS COMMON STOCK FUND	LOCKHEED MARTIN COMMON STOCK FUND	HARBOR CAPITAL APPRECIATION FUND	INTERMEDIATE BOND FUND
ASSETS Investments at quoted fair value: Cash and cash equivalents Governmental bonds Corporate bonds Common stocks	\$25,520 	\$ 17,972	\$ 52 2,056	\$ 1,282 22,273	\$ 1,470	\$ 349 669
Total investments at quoted fair value	25,520	17,972	2,108	23,555	1,470	1,018
Investments at estimated fair value: Participant loans						
Total investments at estimated fair value						
Other assets: Contributions receivable: Employees Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Dividends and interest receivable Receivable for investments sold Other	229 73 117 	101 15 	6 1 35 	 6 	7 2 	7 1
Total other assets	419	116	42	6	9	8
Total assets	25,939	18,088	2,150	23,561	1,479	1,026
LIABILITIES Administrative expenses payable Amounts payable for investments purchased Other	8 117 	6 	1 	6 	1 	1
Total liabilities	125	6	1	6	1	
Net assets available for benefits	\$25,814	\$18,082	\$2,149	\$23,555	\$1,478	\$1,025

	INVESTMENT COMPANY OF AMERICA FUND	AMERICAN BALANCED FUND	DAILY BOND MARKET FUND	VANGUARD WINDSOR FUND	VANGUARD INTERNATIONAL GROWTH FUND	LOAN FUND	TOTAL
ASSETS Investments at quoted fair value: Cash and cash equivalents Governmental bonds Corporate bonds Common stocks	\$ 1,192	\$ 65 120 71 288	\$ 320 321 	\$ 2,616	\$ 1,241	\$ 	\$26,919 789 1,061 49,108
Total investments at quoted fair value	1,192	544	641	2,616	1,241		77,877
Investments at estimated fair value: Participant loans						1,241	1,241
Total investments at estimated fair value						1,241	1,241
Other assets: Contributions receivable: Employees Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Dividends and interest receivable Receivable for investments sold Other	7 1 	3 1 	4 1 	19 5 	6 3 	 	389 103 123 35
Total other assets	8	4	5	24	9		650
Total assets	1,200	548	646	2,640	1,250	1,241	79,768
LIABILITIES Administrative expenses payable Amounts payable for investments purchased Other	1 	1 	1 	1 	1 	 	28 117

 Total liabilities
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 Net assets available for benefits
 \$1,199
 \$547
 \$645
 \$2,639
 \$1,249
 \$1,241
 \$79,623

See accompanying notes.

Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Defined Contribution Plans Master Trust Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits, with Fund Information For the Period from October 18, 1996 (inception) through December 31, 1996 (In Thousands)

	YIELD-ENHANCED SHORT-TERM INVESTMENT FUND	S&P 500 INDEX FUND	MARTIN MARIETTA MATERIALS COMMON STOCK FUND	LOCKHEED MARTIN COMMON STOCK FUND	HARBOR CAPITAL APPRECIATION FUND	INTERMEDIATE BOND FUND
Net assets available for benefits at beginning of period: Additions to net assets: Contributions:	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Employees	746	326	18		26	19
Employer Rollover contributions	233	47 	4 1		6 2	
Total contributions	979	373	23		34	22
Investment income: Dividends and interest Net realized and unrealized gain (loss)	230 	 961	11 (44)	108 485	45 (3)	 6
Total investment income	230	961	(33)	593	42	6
Total additions	1,209	1,334	(10)	593	76	28
Deductions from net assets: Distributions and withdrawals Administrative expenses	693 8	286 6	20 1	411 6	 1	 1
Total deductions Net transfers from other plans Net transfers between funds	701 25,442 (136)	292 17,511 (471)	21 2,009 171	417 23,694 (315)	1 939 464	1 928 70
Net assets available for benefits at end of year	\$ 25,814 ========	\$ 18,082	\$ 2,149 =======	\$ 23,555 =======	\$ 1,478	\$1,025

	INVESTMENT COMPANY OF AMERICA FUND	AMERICAN BALANCED FUND	DAILY BOND MARKET FUND	VANGUARD WINDSOR FUND	VANGUARD INTERNATIONAL GROWTH FUND	LOAN FUND	TOTAL
Net assets available for benefits at beginning of period: Additions to net assets: Contributions:	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Employees Employer Rollover contributions	22 6 	11 2 	13 3 	58 15 	20 5 2		1,259 324 5
Total contributions	28	13	16	73	27		1,588
Investment income: Dividends and interest Net realized and unrealized gain (loss)	52 	31 (16)	 5	225 (60)	51 14	8 	761 1,348
Total investment income	52	15	5	165	65	8	2,109
Total additions	80	28	21	238	92	8	3,697
Deductions from net assets: Distributions and withdrawals Administrative expenses	 1	 1	1 1	1 1	 1	24 	1,436 28
Total deductions Net transfers from other plans Net transfers between funds	1 966 154	1 476 44	2 608 18	2 2,461 (58)	1 1,102 56	24 1,254 3	1,464 77,390
Net assets available for benefits at end of year	\$1,199 =======	\$ 547 =======	\$645 =======	\$ 2,639	\$1,249 ========	\$1,241 =======	\$79,623

Notes to Financial Statements

December 31, 1996

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Defined Contribution Plans Master Trust (the "Master Trust") was created on October 18, 1996, to hold the assets of the Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Performance Sharing Plan, the Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Savings and Investment Plan for Hourly Employees and the Martin Marietta Money Accumulation Plan for Hourly Employees (collectively, the "Plans") on a commingled basis. All plans are defined contribution plans of Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. (the "Corporation"). State Street Bank and Trust Company ("State Street") is the trustee and recordkeeper for the Master Trust. Each plan owns the following share of the entire Master Trust.

Name of Plan	PLAN NUMBER	INTEREST IN MASTER TRUST AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1996
Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Performance Sharing Plan EIN #56-1848578	005	87.21%
Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Savings and Investment Plan for Hourly Employees EIN #56-1848578	006	10.45%
Martin Marietta Money Accumulation Plan for Hourly Employees EIN #56-1848578	007	2.34%
		100.00%

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions, in particular the determination of fair values of investments for which market values are not readily available. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

2. DESCRIPTION OF TRUST

Plan assets held by the Master Trust are invested in eleven funds. The Yield-Enhanced Short-Term Investment Fund, which is managed by the trustee, is invested in high-quality money market instruments, corporate equity and debt instruments and U.S. Government secured notes and bonds. The S&P 500 Index Fund, which is managed by the trustee, invests in the same individual common stocks in identical proportions to the S&P 500 index. The Martin Marietta Materials Common Stock Fund is composed of the Corporation's common stock. The Lockheed Martin Common Stock Fund is composed of the common stock of Lockheed Martin Corporation. The Harbor Capital Appreciation Fund is designed to seek long-term growth of capital by investing in stocks of domestic and foreign companies with high equity capitalization with above average prospects for growth. The Intermediate Bond Fund, which is managed by the trustee, invests primarily in U.S. Treasury, Agency, corporate and asset backed bonds. The Investment Company of America Fund is designed to achieve long-term growth of capital and income by investing in stocks of well-established "blue-chip" companies of both the U.S. and abroad, as well as, in U.S. Government securities. The American Balanced Fund is designed to seek conservation of capital, current income and long-term growth of capital by investing in a blend of stocks, bonds and other fixed income securities. The Daily Bond Market Fund, which is managed by the trustee, invests primarily in U.S. Treasury, Agency, corporate, mortgage backed and asset backed securities. The Vanguard Windsor Fund is a capital growth and income fund that will invest primarily in a diversified portfolio of U.S. common stocks thought to be undervalued. The Vanguard International Growth Fund is designed to achieve long-term growth of capital by investing in equity securities of non-U.S. Companies.

The Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Performance Sharing Plan has a loan program whereby eligible participants may borrow up to the lesser of 50% of their total account balance less the highest outstanding loan balance from the past twelve months, or \$50,000 with a minimum loan of \$500. Loans are repaid monthly over a term of up to 4 1/2 years for personal loans and up to 15 years for a residential loan at an interest rate of one percent over the prime rate reported by at least 75% of the nation's 30 largest banks as reported in The Wall Street Journal on the first business day of the month before loan application. All loans are due in full immediately upon termination of employment. Approximately \$1,241,000 was loaned to participants at December 31, 1996. Participant loan activity and the net outstanding loan balances are reflected in the Loan Fund in the accompanying financial statements.

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

2. DESCRIPTION OF TRUST (CONTINUED)

Fair values of the underlying securities in the Yield-Enhanced Short-Term Investment Fund, the S&P 500 Index Fund, the Intermediate Bond Fund, and the Daily Bond Market Fund are determined by closing prices on the last business day of the year for those securities traded on national exchanges, at the most recent sales prices for those securities traded in over-the-counter markets and at fair value as determined by the Trustee for securities for which there is not an established market. The fair value of Martin Marietta Materials common stock and Lockheed Martin Corporation common stock is determined by the closing price per share on the last business day of the year as reported for New York Stock Exchange Composite Transactions. Fair values of the Harbor Capital Appreciation Fund, the Investment Company of America Fund, the American Balanced Fund, the Vanguard Windsor Fund, and the Vanguard International Growth Fund are determined by the closing prices on the last business day of the year.

Administrative expenses, a portion of which are paid by the Corporation, are otherwise paid from the Trust and allocated to the Plans on a pro rata basis.

3. INVESTMENTS

The fair values of individual investments that represent 5% or more of the Master Trust's net assets at December 31, 1996, are as follows:

Yield-Enhanced Short-Term Investment Fund	(In Thousands) \$25,520
S&P 500 Index Fund	\$17,972
Lockheed Martin Common Stock Fund	\$23,555

4. INCOME TAXES

The Master Trust has not received a tax ruling from the Internal Revenue Service. It is management's opinion that the Master Trust Arrangement is qualified under Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Line 27a-Schedule of Assets Held for Investment Purposes

December 31, 1996

DESCRIPTION OF INVESTMENT, INCLUDING MATURITY DATE, RATE OF INTEREST. PAR OR

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		\$77,857,065	\$79,118,399
Cash and Cash Equivalents	1,333,889 units	1,333,889	1,333,889
Ture to the cours	from 7% to 10%	1,240,001	1,240,001
Participant Loans	interest rates ranging	1,240,807	1,240,807
Martin Marietta Materials Common Stock Fund	88,462 shares	2,098,128	2,056,742
Lockheed Martin Common Stock Fund	243,424 shares	21,816,876	22,273,296
Vanguard International Growth Portfolio	75,427 units	1,231,130	1,241,532
Harbor Capital Appreciation Fund	55,817 units	1,474,326	1,469,673
Investment Company of America Fund	49,175 units	1,193,357	1,191,516
Vanguard Windsor Fund	157,689 units	2,684,764	2,616,062
SSGA S&P 500 Index Fund	150,487 units	17,055,710	17,971,183
American Balanced Fund	37,368 units	559,275	543,705
SSGA Daily Bond Market Fund	46,733 units	635,812	640,798
SSGA Intermediate Bond Fund	99,380 units	1,012,343	1,018,548
SSGA Yield-Enhanced Short-Term Investment Fund	25,520,648 units	\$25,520,648	\$25,520,648
IDENTITY OF ISSUE, BORROWER, LESSOR OR SIMILAR PARTY	MATURITY VALUE	COST	CURRENT VALUE
	OF INTEREST, PAR OR		

Line 27d-Schedule of Reportable Transactions

For the Period from October 18, 1996 (inception) through December 31, 1996

IDENTITY OF PARTY INVOLVED	DESCRIPTION OF ASSETS	PURCHASE PRICE	SELLING PRICE	COST OF ASSETS	CURRENT VALUE OF ASSET ON TRANSACTION DATE	NET GAIN (LOSS)
Category (i) - Individ	ual transactions in exc	ess of 5 percent o	of plan assets	:		
State Street Bank and Trust Company	Yield-Enhanced Short-Term Investment Fund, 25,411,891 units	\$ 25,441,891	\$ -	\$ 25,441,891	\$ 25,441,891	\$ -
	S&P 500 Flagship Fund, 154,637 units	17,510,517	-	17,510,517	17,510,517	-

Current value of Plan assets is based on the end of year balance of net assets available for benefits.

Line 27d-Schedule of Reportable Transactions (continued)

For the Period from October 18, 1996 (inception) through December 31, 1996

IDENTITY OF PARTY INVOLVED	DESCRIPTION OF ASSETS	PURCHASE PRICE	SELLING PRICE	COST OF ASSETS	CURRENT VALUE OF ASSET ON TRANSACTION DATE	NET GAIN E (LOSS)
Category (iii) - Serie	s of transactions in e	excess of 5 percent	of plan asset	es:		
State Street Bank and Trust Company	Yield-Enhanced Short-Term Investment Fund	\$26,688,821	\$ -	\$ 26,688,821	\$ 26,688,821	\$ -
	S&P 500 Flagship Fu	nd 17,845,293	-	17,845,293	17,845,293	-

Current value of Plan assets is based on the end of year balance of net assets available for benefits.

There were no category (ii) or (iv) reportable transactions during the period ended December 31, 1996.

SIGNATURES

The Plan. Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the trustee of the below named plan has duly caused this annual report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

MARTIN MARIETTA MATERIALS, INC. SAVINGS and INVESTMENT PLAN for HOURLY EMPLOYEES

By: Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Plan Administrator

By: Benefit Plan Committee

By: /s/ Janice K. Henry

Janice K. Henry

Date: June 27, 1997

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Document

Consent of Ernst & Young LLP

CONSENT OF ERNST & YOUNG LLP, INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

We consent to the incorporation by reference in the Registration Statement (Form S-8 No. 33-83516) pertaining to the Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Amended Omnibus Securities Award Plan and in the Registration Statement (Form S-3 No. 33-99082) pertaining to the Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. shelf registration, of our report dated June 9, 1997, with respect to the financial statements and schedules of the Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Savings and Investment Plan for Hourly Employees and Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Defined Contribution Plans Master Trust included in this Annual Report (Form 11-K) for the transition period from October 18, 1996 to December 31, 1996.

ERNST & YOUNG LLP

June 27, 1997