## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SIPLING PHILIP J						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  MARTIN MARIETTA MATERIALS INC [									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner					
						MLM ]										(give title	Other (specify below)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2710 WYCLIFF RD.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/01/2005									Executive Vice President					
(Street)					<b>-</b> 4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
RALEIGH NC 27607												X Form filed by One Reporting Person								
(City) (State) (Zip)				-	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. Transa Date (Month/D					ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transa Code (	ction Instr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)					s ally following	Form:	Direct Indirect It. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount		A) or D)	Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock				09/01/2005					M		15,000		A	\$24.2	5 \$69	,249		D		
Common Stock				09/0	0/01/2005				F		3,236		D	\$72.3	2 \$66,013		D			
Common Stock				09/0	01/200	5			S		1,864	4	D	\$71.8	1 \$64,149		D			
Common Stock				09/0	09/01/2005				S		200		D	\$71.7	8 \$63	\$63,949		D		
Common Stock				09/0	09/01/2005				S		3,900	)	D	\$71.7	7 \$60	,049		D		
Common Stock				09/0	9/01/2005				S		300		D	\$71.7	5 \$59	,749	'49 I			
Common Stock 09/				09/0	)1/200	5			S		2,900	)	D	\$71.8	\$58	3,849		D		
Common Stock 09/				1/2005				S		1,200	)	D	\$71.8	3 \$55	\$55,649		D			
Common Stock 09/0:				01/200	5			S		1,300	)	D	\$71.7	6 \$54	\$54,349		D			
Common Stock 09/01/				01/200	/2005			S		100		D	\$71.8	2 \$54	,249		D			
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)															<u> </u>				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	d Date,	ate, 4. Transa Code (		5. Number 6. of E		6. Date Expiration	. Date Exercis: xpiration Date Month/Day/Yea		7. Tit of Se Unde Deriv	7. Title and Ame of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		unt 8. Price of Derivative Security	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	OI N O1	umber						
Employee Stock Option	\$24.25	09/01/2005			M			15,000	(1)		07/10/2006	Comi		5,000	(1)	\$0.00		D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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1. Non-qualified stock option award granted under the Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. Amended and Restated stock-Based Award Plan. Options become exerciseable in three equal annual installments commencing one year from the date of grant.

/s/ Philip J. Sipling

09/06/2005

\*\* 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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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