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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Nye C Howard					<u>M</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MARTIN MARIETTA MATERIALS INC [MLM]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify			ó Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2710 WYCLIFF ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/21/2006									A belo		bel	ow)	
(Street) RALEIGH NC 27607 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ne) X Fori Fori	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable 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. Transa Date (Month/D					Execution Date			Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4					6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect		
									Code	v	Amount		A) or D)	Price	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(iiisti. 4)
Common Stock 08/21/					/2006	2006		A		10,000 A		Α	\$() [10,000	D		
	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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date, Transaction Code (Ins					6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	or Num of Shai					

Explanation of Responses:

C. Howard Nye

08/21/2006

** 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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