

MARTIN MARIETTA MATERIALS INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
ZELNAK STEPHEN P JR

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 below) Other (specify below)
 Chm. Pres. & CEO

(Last) (First) (Middle)
MARTIN MARIETTA MATERIALS, INC., 2710 WYCLIFF ROAD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/02/2006

(Street)
RALEIGH, NC 27607

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	03/02/2006		M		10,000 A \$ 43.58	137,278	D
Common Stock	03/02/2006		S		8,188 D \$ 98.5902	129,090	D
Common Stock	03/02/2006		F		1,812 D \$ 98.68	127,278	D
Common Stock	03/03/2006		M		10,000 A \$ 43.58	137,278	D

__Signature of
Reporting Person

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

The shares sold on this date were sold in multiple transactions. This price is the weighted average sales price per share of all shares sold

- (1) on this date. The actual sales prices were: 500 at \$98.54; 1600 at \$98.55; 2000 at \$98.58; 600 at \$98.59; 988 at \$98.60; 1200 at \$98.61; 100 at \$98.63; 100 at \$98.64; 900 at \$98.65; 200 at \$98.66.

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