

Grosman Doron D.
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FORM 4

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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 *
Grosman Doron D.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HEXCEL CORP /DE/ [HXL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
HEXCEL CORPORATION, 281
TRESSER BLVD., 16TH FLOOR

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/23/2009

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
President

(Street)
STAMFORD, CT 06901

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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nu Sha
Restricted Stock Units ⁽¹⁾	<u>(1)</u>	02/23/2009	A	42,937					<u>(2)</u>	01/26/2012	Common Stock	42
Non-Qualified Stock Option ⁽³⁾	\$ 6.23	02/23/2009	A	152,857					<u>(4)</u>	02/23/2019	Common Stock	152,857

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Grosman Doron D. HEXCEL CORPORATION 281 TRESSER BLVD., 16TH FLOOR STAMFORD, CT 06901			President	

Signatures

/s/ Doron D. Grosman by Seth L. Kaplan, Attorney-in-fact	02/24/2009
<u> </u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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).
- (1) These RSUs were granted in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b. Upon vesting, RSUs are converted into an equivalent number of shares of Common Stock that are distributed to the grantee.
 - (2) The RSUs vest and convert into an equivalent number of shares of Common Stock in three equal installments on each of January 26, 2010, January 26, 2011 and January 26, 2012. Vesting of the RSUs is also subject to certain acceleration and termination provisions.
 - (3) Non-Qualified Options ("NQOs") granted in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b.
 - (4) The NQOs become vested with respect to one-third of the shares of Common Stock subject thereto on each of January 26, 2010, January 26, 2011 and January 26, 2012. Vesting of the NQOs is also subject to certain acceleration and termination provisions.

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