HEXCEL CORP /DE/ Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GREENBRIAR EQUITY FUND LP

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

HEXCEL CORP /DE/ [HXL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Officer (give title

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

08/17/2005

Director

10% Owner _ Other (specify

C/O GREENBRIAR EQUITY **GROUP. 555 THEODORE FREMD AVENUE, SUITE A-201**

(State)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

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

below)

RYE, NY 10580

(City)

		Table 1 Tion Berryadive Securities Required, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial				
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	08/17/2005		C	1,037,333	A	\$ 3 (1)	1,037,333	D				
Common Stock	08/17/2005		S	1,037,219	D	\$ 17.1	114	D				

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 (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Series A Convertible Preferred Stock	\$ 3 (1)	08/17/2005		C		3,112	03/19/2003	01/22/2010	Common Stock	1,037,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
GREENBRIAR EQUITY FUND LP C/O GREENBRIAR EQUITY GROUP 555 THEODORE FREMD AVENUE, SUITE A-201		X				
RYE. NY 10580						

**Signature of Reporting Person

Signatures

GREENBRIAR EQUITY FUND, L.P By: Greenbriar Equity Capital, L.P., its general partner

By: Greenbriar Holdings LLC, its general partner /s/ Joel S. Beckman, Managing Member

08/18/2005

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).

The conversion rate of the Series A Convertible Preferred Stock is determined using a conversion price initially equal to \$3.00 (subject to adjustment in certain circumstances as provided in the applicable Certificate of Designations). On this basis, each share of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock is convertible into a number of shares of Common Stock equal to \$1000.00/\$3.00.

Remarks:

The Reporting Person may be deemed to be, but does not admit to be, a member of a "group" holding over 10% of the issuer's outstanding common stock for purposes of Section 13(d)(3) of the Exchange Act.

Date

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