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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Maier Donald R.</u> | | | 2. Date of Event Requiring Staten (Month/Day/Year 03/22/2019 | nent | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Quanex Building Products CORP [NX] | | | | | | |
|--|---------|----------|---|--|---|--|--|-----------------------------------|---|---|--|
| (Last) 1800 WEST I | (First) | (Middle) | _ 05/22/2015 | | Relationship of Reporting Personal (Check all applicable) X Director | | son(s) to Issuer | | 5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | |
| (Street) HOUSTON TX 77027 | | 77027 | | | | Officer (give title below) | Other (spe below) | | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | Reporting | Person | |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | | | | | | unt of Securities ially Owned (Instr. 4) | | | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) | | |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Expir | | | Expiration D | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr | | 4. Convers or Exerc | ise Form: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) | |
| | | | Date Exercisable | Expiratior Date | n Title | e | Amount or Number of Shares | Price of Derivativ Security | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | | |

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

No securities are beneficially owned.

/s/ Paul B. Cornett, Power of Attorney

03/22/2019

** 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 5 (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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Quanex Building Products Corporation Power of Attorney

The undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints Paul Cornett, Kevin Delaney, and Brent Korb his true and lawful attorneys-in-fact and agents, with full power of substitution and re-substitution, for him and in his name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to complete and sign all Form 3s, Form 4s and Form 5s relating to equity securities of Quanex Building Products Corporation and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto or documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, the New York Stock Exchange and Quanex Building Products Corporation, granting to said attorney-in-fact and agent, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as he might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorney-in-fact and agent, or substitute or substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

Executed this 22nd day of March, 2019.

/S/ Donald R. Maier Donald R. Maier