1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect

(I) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature

of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership (Instr. 4)

5. Amount of

Securities Beneficially

Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5

| Instruction 1(b | | | Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 | 1934 Tours per response. 0.5 | | | | |
|--|---|-------|--|---|--|--|--|--|
| 1. Name and Add | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Quanex Building Products CORP [NX] | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner | | | | |
| (Last) 1900 WEST L | Last) (First) (Middle) L900 WEST LOOP SOUTH-STE. 1500 | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/26/2010 | Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) | | | | |
| (Street) HOUSTON TX 77027 | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X 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 | | | | | | | | |

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

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3. Transaction

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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. Transa Code (8) | | 5. Num of Deriva Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D) (Instr.: and 5) | Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) rities irred or oseed) r. 3, 4 | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | mount of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$15.58 | 02/26/2010 | | A | | 5,000 | | 02/26/2010 ⁽¹⁾ | 02/26/2020 | Common Stock | 5,000 | \$0 | 5,000 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Excerciseable immediately in whole or in part.

/s/ Paul B. Cornett, Power of **Attorney**

4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A) or (D)

Price

Amount

03/01/2010

** 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

2. Transaction

Date (Month/Day/Year)

2A. Deemed

Execution Date, if any

(Month/Day/Year)

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