FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PETRATIS DAVID D						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							
<u> </u>															X							
(Last) (First) (Middle)						Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									X Office below		cer (give title ow)		Other (specify below)			
1900 WEST LOOP SOUTH						09/29/2008									President & CEO							
SUITE 1500																						
(Street)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
HOUSTON TX 77027															X	, , ,						
															Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)																			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)				4 and Secui Bene		cially d Following	6. Own Form: I (D) or II (I) (Inst	Direct ndirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111501.4)		
Common Stock 09/29/2						2008 10/0		0/02/2008			0.171		A	\$14.83		65,084.986		I)			
	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. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	Date, Transaction		on of		6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		е	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)					9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	m: ect (D) ndirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	or Nui of	ount mber								

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares acquired through dividend reinvestment.

John J. Mannion, Power of <u>Attorney</u>

09/30/2008

** 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).

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