FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  ROSS JOSEPH J					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Quanex Building Products CORP [ NX ]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
													X Direc	Director		10% Ow	/ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1900 WEST LOOP SOUTH					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/16/2008								Officer (give title below)			Other (specify below)		
SUITE 1500					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
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		Та	ble I - Non-De	erivati	ive S	ecuritie	s Ac	quired, D	ispos	ed o	f, or Be	neficial	ly Owne	d				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		Dat	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		Code (In:	ion Dis				Benefi	ies cially Following	Form	: Direct   I Indirect   I str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Code	/ Am	ount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transa	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
			Table II - Der (e.g					uired, Dis s, options					Owned					
	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. r) 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		ınd	d 7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Derivati Security (Instr. 5)	derivativ Securitie Benefici Owned Followin Reporte	e es ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expira Date	tion	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	<u> </u>	Transact (Instr. 4)	ion(s)	۶)		
Phantom Stock Units <sup>(1)</sup>	\$0 <sup>(2)</sup>	10/16/2008		A		107.296		(3)	(3)	)	Common Stock	107.29	5 \$13.98	57,373	.402	D		
Phantom Stock Units <sup>(4)</sup>	\$0 <sup>(2)</sup>	10/16/2008		A		21.459		(3)	(3)		Common Stock	21.459	\$13.98	57,394	.861	D		
Restricted Stock Units	(5)							(6)	(6)		Common Stock	2,273		2,27	'3	D		
Stock Options (Right to	\$15.02							04/23/2008	04/23/2	2018	Common Stock	10,000		10,0	00	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Units that are credited to the participant's account under the Deferred Compensation Plan as a result of the participant's deferral of income or fees, as the case may be.
- 2. Conversion price is 1-for-1.
- 3. Units credited under the Deferred Compensation Plan are 100% vested unless they are a result of the company's 20% matching award which vest 3 years from the date of deferral. Distributions under the Deferred Compensation Plan are made beginning on a specified date selected by the participant or upon a participant's death, disability, or termination of employment.
- 4. Units that are credited to the participant's account under the Deferred Compensation Plan as a result of the company's 20% matching award of the participant's deferral of income or fees, as the case may be.
- 5. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive cash in an amount equivalent to the value of one share of NX common stock.
- 6. The restricted stock unit will vest immediately, but will not be payable until death, disability or cessation of service on the board or change of control.

John J. Mannion, Power of Attorney 10/17/2008

\*\* 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).
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