FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Hammonds Paul A</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Quanex Building Products CORP [ NX ]								(Chec	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     Director					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1900 WEST LOOP SOUTH SUITE 1500					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/04/2008									X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  V.PCorporate Development					
(Street) HOUSTON TX 77027  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Am	endment, D	oate of	f Original I	Filed (	Month/Da	y/Year)		6. Indi Line)		d by One	Report	Check Appli ting Person One Reporti		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transc Date (Month/D						Execution if any	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr.		ities Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount Securities Beneficiall Owned Fol	y	Form:	Direct I Indirect E str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	v	Amount (A		or I	Price	Reported Transactio (Instr. 3 an				nstr. 4)	
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)	Code (Instr.		5. Number of 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		erlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		xpiration ate	Title		ount or ober of res		(Instr. 4)				
Phantom Stock Units <sup>(1)</sup>	\$0 <sup>(2)</sup>	12/04/2008		A		1,411.549		(3)		(3)	Common Stock	1,4	11.549	\$7.36	1,411.	549	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.

Brent L. Korb, Power of Attorney

12/05/2008

\*\* 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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Quanex Building Products Corporation

Power of Attorney

The undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints Brent L. Korb, Jairaj Chetnani and Deborah M. Gadin 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 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 3rd day of December, 2008

/s/ Paul A. Hammonds

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