

HOHMANN FRANK L III
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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 HOHMANN FRANK L III

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 MATERIAL SCIENCES CORP
 [MASC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 02/27/2012

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

C/O BARBARA NIMS,
 ESQ., DAVIS POLK &
 WARDWELL

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10017

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
				Code	V	Amount		
Common Stock	02/27/2012		S	3,000	D	8.63	1,273,812	D
					(1)	\$		
Common Stock	02/28/2012		S	3,000	D	8.65	1,270,812	D
					(2)	\$		
Common Stock	02/29/2012		S	3,000	D	8.68	1,267,812	D
					(3)	\$		

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at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes (1), (2) and (3) to this Form 4.

- (2) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$8.60 to \$8.70, inclusive.
- (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$8.61 to \$8.78, inclusive.
- (4) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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