

MARTIN MARIETTA MATERIALS INC

Form 8-K

October 20, 2004

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT
TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported) **October 20, 2004**

Martin Marietta Materials, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

North Carolina

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-12744

(Commission File Number)

56-1848578

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

2710 Wycliff Road, Raleigh, North Carolina

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

27607

(Zip Code)

(919) 781-4550

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.

On October 20, 2004, the Board of Directors of the Corporation elected Laree E. Perez to serve as a Director of the Corporation. It is currently anticipated that Ms. Perez will serve on the Corporation's Audit Committee and Ethics, Environment, Safety and Health Committee.

The Corporation issued a press release on October 20, 2004 announcing the election of Ms. Perez, which is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Report.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated October 20, 2004, announcing the election of Laree E. Perez to serve as a Director of the Corporation.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

MARTIN MARIETTA MATERIALS, INC.
(Registrant)

Date: October 20, 2004

By: /s/ Janice K. Henry
Janice K. Henry,
Senior Vice President and Chief
Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.	Description
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