VULCAN MATERIALS CO
Reported by
HOUSTON J WAYNE

FORM 4
(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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Address 1200 URBAN CENTER DRIVE
          BIRMINGHAM, AL 35242
Telephone 2052983000
CIK 0001396009
Symbol VMC
SIC Code 1400 - Mining & Quarrying of Nonmetallic Minerals (No Fuels)
Industry Construction - Raw Materials
Sector Capital Goods
Fiscal Year 12/31
Form 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Houston J Wayne
1200 URBAN CENTER DRIVE
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35242

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Vulcan Materials CO [ VMC ]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
_____ Director
_____ 10% Owner
__ X Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Senior VP-Human Resources

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)
3/1/2012

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

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

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Title of Security</th>
<th>Trans. Date</th>
<th>Deemed Execution Date, if any</th>
<th>Code</th>
<th>Amount (A) or (D)</th>
<th>Price</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Common Stock (Restricted Stock Units)</td>
<td>3/1/2012</td>
<td>D</td>
<td>1642.0000</td>
<td>D</td>
<td>$44.59</td>
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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<tr>
<th>Title of Derivative Security</th>
<th>Conversion or Exercise Date, if any</th>
<th>Trans. Date</th>
<th>Deemed Execution Date, if any</th>
<th>Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)</th>
<th>Date Exercisable</th>
<th>Expiration Date</th>
<th>Title</th>
<th>Amount or Number of Shares</th>
<th>Price of Derivative Security</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Phantom Stock (Deferred Comp DSUs/PSUs)</td>
<td>(1)</td>
<td>3/1/2012</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>1642.0000</td>
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Explanation of Responses:
(1) Represents time-based restricted stock units ('RSUs') reported as shares of common stock. The reporting person has elected, upon the vesting thereof, to defer the receipt of these shares under the terms of the Company's Executive Deferred Compensation Plan.

Reporting Owners

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<th>Reporting Owner Name / Address</th>
<th>Relationships</th>
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<td>Houston J Wayne</td>
<td>Director 10% Owner Officer Senior VP-Human Resources</td>
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Signatures

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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