

GENDRON THOMAS A
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 GENDRON THOMAS A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

HEXCEL CORPORATION, 281
 TRESSER BLVD., 16TH FLOOR

(Street)

STAMFORD, CT 06901

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 HEXCEL CORP /DE/ [HXL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 05/11/2018

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	(Instr. 8)
	Dividend Equivalent Rights	05/11/2018			A		2.86 (2)		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	2.86	\$
	Dividend Equivalent Rights	05/11/2018			A		3.98 (2)		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	3.98	\$
	Dividend Equivalent Rights	05/11/2018			A		4.34 (2)		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	4.34	\$
	Dividend Equivalent Rights	05/11/2018			A		3.74 (2)		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	3.74	\$
	Dividend Equivalent Rights	05/11/2018			A		4.63 (2)		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	4.63	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GENDRON THOMAS A HEXCEL CORPORATION 281 TRESSER BLVD., 16TH FLOOR STAMFORD, CT 06901	X			

Signatures

/s/ Steven A. Wein, as attorney-in-fact for Thomas A. Gendron

05/15/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* 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).

The dividend equivalent rights ("DERs") accrued with respect to restricted stock units ("RSUs") previously granted to the Reporting Person. Each DER represents a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer common stock upon delivery of the related RSUs to the Reporting Person.

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- The RSUs to which the DERs relate vest ratably over the twelve months following the date of grant. In accordance with the Reporting Person's deferral election, shares of Issuer common stock underlying vested RSUs and the related DERs will be issued to the Reporting Person following the time that the Reporting Person ceases to be a member of the Issuer's Board of Directors.

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