

MATERIAL SCIENCES CORP  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
REILLY JOHN PAUL

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)  
2200 E. PRATT BLVD.  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/20/2014

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

ELK GROVE VILLAGE, IL 60007  
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	03/20/2014		M	35,138	A	\$ 44,131	D
Common Stock	03/20/2014		D	35,138	D	\$ 12.75	D
Common Stock	03/20/2014		D	8,993	D	\$ 12.75	D

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 (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)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
PHANTOM STOCK	<u>1</u>	03/20/2014		M	35,138	03/20/2014 03/20/2014	COMMON STOCK 35

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
REILLY JOHN PAUL 2200 E. PRATT BLVD. ELK GROVE VILLAGE, IL 60007		X		

## Signatures

/s/ JAMES D. PAWLAK, CFO, attorney  
in fact  
03/24/2014

\*\*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).
- Each share of phantom stock was the economic equivalent of one share of the Issuer's common stock. The reporting person settled all of
- (1) his shares of common stock for cash in connection with the merger between the Issue and Zink Acquisition Merger Sub Inc. at a price of \$12.75 per share.
  - (2) Upon completion of the merger between the Issue and Zink Acquisition Merger Sub Inc., these shares of common stock converted into the right to receive \$12.75 per share in cash, without interest and less applicable withholding taxes.

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