

BRUSH ENGINEERED MATERIALS INC  
 Form 4  
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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 \*  
 Hipple Richard J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 BRUSH ENGINEERED MATERIALS INC [BW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 17876 ST. CLAIR AVE.  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/15/2008

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Chairman, President and CEO

CLEVELAND, OH 44110  
 (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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or Price (D)		
Common Stock	02/15/2008		A		7,304 <u>(1)</u>	A	\$ 0 66,199 D
Common Stock	02/15/2008		A		14,609 <u>(2)</u>	A	\$ 0 80,808 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 27.78	02/15/2008		A	11,102	02/15/2011	02/15/2018	Common Stock	11,102
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 44.72					02/15/2010	02/15/2017	Common Stock	15,000
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 24.03					05/02/2009	05/02/2016	Common Stock	38,750
Stock Options	\$ 14.1					04/29/2005	04/29/2015	Common Stock	8,000
Stock Options	\$ 17.68					02/08/2005	02/08/2015	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Options	\$ 17.075					02/03/2004	02/03/2014	Common Stock	9,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hipple Richard J 17876 ST. CLAIR AVE. CLEVELAND, OH 44110			Chairman, President and CEO	

## Signatures

Susan J. MacDonald / Atty  
in fact 02/19/2008  
\*\*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).

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- (1) Grant of restricted stock
- (2) Grant of performance restricted shares

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