

SPERDUTO MICHAEL A  
 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 \*  
 SPERDUTO MICHAEL A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 ENGELHARD CORP [EC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 101 WOOD AVENUE  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/17/2005

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Vice President & CFO

ISELIN, NJ 088300770  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Price			
Common Stock	11/17/2005		M	9,400	A \$ 22.375	24,708	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005		M	11,150	A \$ 23.875	35,858	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005		S	3,000	D \$ 28.54	32,858	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005		S	3,300	D \$ 28.58	29,558	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005		S	100	D \$ 28.59	29,458	D	

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Common Stock	11/17/2005	S	8,600	D	\$ 28.6	20,858	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005	S	500	D	\$ 28.61	20,358	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005	S	800	D	\$ 28.62	19,558	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005	S	100	D	\$ 28.63	19,458	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005	S	400	D	\$ 28.64	19,058	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005	S	100	D	\$ 28.63	18,958	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005	S	700	D	\$ 28.66	18,258	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005	S	200	D	\$ 28.64	18,058	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005	S	400	D	\$ 28.64	17,658	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005	S	400	D	\$ 28.64	17,258	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005	S	300	D	\$ 28.66	16,958	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005	S	100	D	\$ 28.66	16,858	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005	S	1,100	D	\$ 28.66	15,758	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2005	S	450	D	\$ 28.66	15,308	D	
Common Stock						31,391	I	By Fleet Bank as Trustee

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 Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	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
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.375	11/17/2005	M	9,400 (1)					12/15/1996(1)	12/15/2005(1)	Common Stock	9,400
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.875	11/17/2005	M	11,150 (1)					02/01/1997(1)	02/01/2006(1)	Common Stock	11,150

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SPERDUTO MICHAEL A 101 WOOD AVENUE ISELIN, NJ 088300770			Vice President & CFO	

## Signatures

By: M.J.Hassett Attorney in fact for  
M.A.Sperduto

11/18/2005

\_\_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).

Options become exercisable in 25% installments annually commencing the first anniversary of date of grant (except in the event of a (1) change in control of Engelhard Corporation). The Exercisable Date shown is the first date on which any options in the grant are exercisable. All options expire ten years after the date of grant.

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