

Owens Corning  
Form 4/A  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**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(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
D. E. SHAW LAMINAR PORTFOLIOS, L.L.C.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

39TH FLOOR, TOWER 45, 120 WEST FORTY-FIFTH STREET

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10036

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Owens Corning [OC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
05/21/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  
05/23/2008

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

See footnotes 1 and 2.

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: Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount		
					(A) or (D)		
					Price		
Common Stock	05/21/2008		S		4,162,000 (3)	D	\$ 27 13,164,681 D (1) (2)

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)**

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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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 6)
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
D. E. SHAW LAMINAR PORTFOLIOS, L.L.C. 39TH FLOOR, TOWER 45 120 WEST FORTY-FIFTH STREET NEW YORK, NY 10036	X	X		See footnotes 1 and 2.
D. E. Shaw Oculus Portfolios, L.L.C. 39TH FLOOR, TOWER 45 120 WEST FORTY-FIFTH STREET NEW YORK, NY 10036	X	X		See footnotes 1 and 2.
D. E. SHAW & CO, L.P. 39TH FLOOR, TOWER 45 120 WEST FORTY-FIFTH STREET NEW YORK, NY 10036	X	X		See footnotes 1 and 2.
D. E. SHAW & CO, L.L.C. 39TH FLOOR, TOWER 45 120 WEST FORTY-FIFTH STREET NEW YORK, NY 10036	X	X		See footnotes 1 and 2.
SHAW DAVID E 39TH FLOOR, TOWER 45 120 WEST FORTY-FIFTH STREET NEW YORK, NY 10036	X	X		See footnotes 1 and 2.

## Signatures

D. E. Shaw Laminar Portfolios, L.L.C. By: D. E. Shaw & Co., L.L.C., as managing member  
By: /s/ Rochelle Elias, Chief Compliance Officer 05/27/2008

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

D. E. Shaw Oculus Portfolios, L.L.C. By: D. E. Shaw & Co., L.L.C., as managing member  
By: /s/ Rochelle Elias, Chief Compliance Officer 05/27/2008

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<u>  </u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date
D. E. Shaw & Co., L.P. By: /s/ Rochelle Elias, Chief Compliance Officer	05/27/2008
<u>  </u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date
D. E. Shaw & Co., L.L.C. By: /s/ Rochelle Elias, Chief Compliance Officer	05/27/2008
<u>  </u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date
David E. Shaw By: /s/ Rochelle Elias, Attorney-in-Fact for David E. Shaw	05/27/2008
<u>  </u> 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 Common Stock reported in Table I is held directly by D. E. Shaw Laminar Portfolios, L.L.C. ("Laminar") and D. E. Shaw Oculus Portfolios, L.L.C. ("Oculus"). D. E. Shaw & Co., L.P. ("DESCO LP"), as investment adviser to Laminar and Oculus; D. E. Shaw & Co., L.L.C. ("DESCO LLC"), as managing member of Laminar and Oculus; and Mr. David E. Shaw ("David E. Shaw") (as president and sole shareholder of D. E. Shaw & Co., Inc., which is the general partner of DESCO LP, and as president and sole shareholder of D. E. Shaw & Co. II, Inc., which is the managing member of DESCO LLC) may be deemed to be the beneficial owners of more than 10% of the Common Stock of the Issuer for purposes of Rule 16a-1(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. (Continued in footnote 2)

In accordance with instruction 4(b)(iv), the entire number of shares of Common Stock that may be deemed to be beneficially owned by Laminar, Oculus, DESCO LP, and DESCO LLC is reported herein. Each of DESCO LP, DESCO LLC, and David E. Shaw disclaims any
- (1) beneficial ownership of any of the securities reported on this Form 4, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein. The reporting persons also may be deemed directors of the Issuer by virtue of DESCO LP employee David Lyon's service as a member of the Issuer's board of directors. None of Laminar, Oculus, DESCO LP, DESCO LLC, or David E. Shaw serves as a director of the Issuer.
- (2) This amended Form 4 is being filed solely for the purpose of correcting the transaction of 4,162,000 shares sold at \$27.00 on May 21, 2008. These shares were disposed of, not acquired.
- (3)

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