

TUTTLE DONALD S III
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FORM 4

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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 *
TUTTLE DONALD S III

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
EASTERN CO [EML]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
112 BRIDGE STREET
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/11/2010

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

NAUGATUCK, CT 06770

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 or Price | | |
| Common Stock <u>(1)</u> | 08/11/2010 | | S | | 300 D \$ 16.611 | 66,028 | D |
| Common Stock <u>(2)</u> | 08/11/2010 | | S | | 100 D \$ 16.62 | 65,928 | D |
| Common Stock <u>(3)</u> | 08/11/2010 | | S | | 100 D \$ 16.61 | 65,828 | D |
| Common Stock <u>(4)</u> | 08/11/2010 | | S | | 4 D \$ 16.55 | 65,824 | D |
| Common Stock <u>(5)</u> | 08/11/2010 | | S | | 100 D \$ 16.57 | 65,724 | D |
| | 08/11/2010 | | S | | 5,724 D \$ 16.5 | 60,000 | D |

Common
Stock ⁽⁶⁾

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) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 3) |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| TUTTLE DONALD S III 112 BRIDGE STREET NAUGATUCK, CT 06770 | | X | | |

Signatures

Donald S. Tuttle III, by Theresa P. Dews his attorney-in-fact 08/13/2010

__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).
- (1) On August 11, 2010, 300 shares sold on the open market for \$16.611 per share.
- (2) On August 11, 2010, 100 shares sold on the open market for \$16.62 per share.
- (3) On August 11, 2010, 100 shares sold on the open market for \$16.61 per share.
- (4) On August 11, 2010, 4 shares sold on the open market for \$16.55 per share.

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(5) On August 11, 2010, 100 shares sold on the open market for \$16.57 per share.

(6) On August 11, 2010, 5,724 shares sold on the open market for \$16.50 per share.

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