

BROTHERS ELLEN L  
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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 \*  
**BROTHERS ELLEN L**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**MATTEL, INC. - MAIL STOP  
 M1-1516, 333 CONTINENTAL  
 BLVD.**

(Street)

**EL SEGUNDO,, CA 90245**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**MATTEL INC /DE/ [MAT]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
**02/10/2009**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**Executive Vice President**

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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code V	Amount		
Common stock	02/10/2009		I		\$ 7,950 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	401(k)
Common stock					3,550	D	
Common stock					923	I	In trust <sup>(2)</sup>

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. Pr Deri Secu (Inst	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)
Phantom stock	(3)	02/11/2009		I	17,050 (4)	(3)	(3)	Common stock	17,050 \$ 1

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BROTHERS ELLEN L MATTEL, INC. - MAIL STOP M1-1516 333 CONTINENTAL BLVD. EL SEGUNDO,, CA 90245			Executive Vice President	

## Signatures

/s/ Ellen L. Brothers  
Date: 02/11/2009

\*\*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 February 10, 2009, the reporting person transferred \$111,870 into the Mattel Stock Fund of Mattel's 401(k) plan, the Personal Investment Plan (the "PIP"), from other funds in the PIP, and her balance in the Mattel Stock Fund after this transfer was \$111,870. The assets in the Mattel Stock Fund include cash amounts as well as shares of Mattel common stock. The number of shares has been calculated by the plan administrator for the PIP.
- (2) The Ellen L. Brothers Revocable Trust of 11/15/02.
- (3) Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of Mattel common stock. Shares of phantom stock are payable in Mattel common stock and the reporting person may receive distributions of Mattel common stock while still employed with Mattel or following the reporting person's termination of employment with Mattel.
- (4) On February 11, 2009, the plan administrator at the reporting person's request reallocated the balance credited to the reporting person's account within the Deferred Compensation and PIP Excess Plan to increase the number of shares of phantom stock credited to her

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