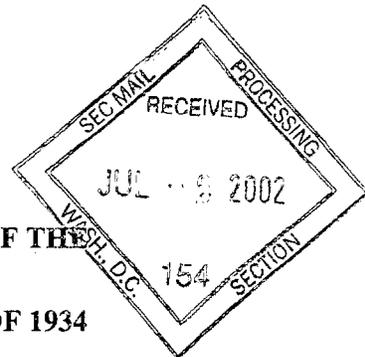




SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549
Form 11-K

ANNUAL REPORT

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**



Annual report pursuant to Section 15(D) of the Securities Exchange Act Of 1934
For the fiscal year ended: December 31, 2001

Transition report pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the transition period from _____ to

Commission File No. 1-258

A. Full title of the plan and address of the plan if different from that of the issuer named below:

Continental Materials Corporation Employees Profit Sharing Retirement Plan

B. Name of issuer of the securities held pursuant to the plan and the address of its principal executive office:

Continental Materials Corporation
225 West Wacker Drive, Suite 1800
Chicago, Illinois 60606

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**Continental Materials Corporation
Employees Profit Sharing Retirement Plan**

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Note: Supplemental schedules required by the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 that have not been included herein are not applicable.

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Report of Independent Accountants

To the Participants and Administrator of
the Continental Materials Corporation
Employee Profit Sharing Retirement Plan

In our opinion, the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits present fairly, in all material respects, the net assets available for benefits of the Continental Materials Corporation Employees Profit Sharing Retirement Plan (the "Plan") at December 31, 2001 and 2000, and the changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2001 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Plan's management; our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits of these statements in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, and evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplemental schedule of Line 4i, Form 5500 – Schedule of Assets Held for Investment Purposes is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. This supplemental schedule is the responsibility of the Plan's management. The supplemental schedule has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audits of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.



May 10, 2002

**Continental Materials Corporation
Employees Profit Sharing Retirement Plan**

**Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits
As of December 31, 2001 and 2000**

	ASSETS	2001	2000
Investments		\$ 20,994,224	\$ 19,110,479
Receivables:			
Employer contributions		1,927,067	1,731,073
Employee contributions		<u>111,582</u>	<u>107,605</u>
Total receivables		<u>2,038,649</u>	<u>1,838,678</u>
Total assets		<u>23,032,873</u>	<u>20,949,157</u>
	LIABILITIES		
Administrative expenses		<u>(4,139)</u>	<u>(4,151)</u>
Net assets available for benefits		<u>\$ 23,028,734</u>	<u>\$ 20,945,006</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

Continental Materials Corporation
Employees Profit Sharing Retirement Plan

Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits
For the Year Ended December 31, 2001

Additions:

Additions to net assets attributed to:

Investment income:

Interest income	\$ 118,467
Net appreciation in fair value of investment	458,786
Net investment loss from registered investment entities	(1,546,342)
Net investment gain from pooled separate account	216,834

Net investment loss (752,255)

Contributions:

Transfers from Williams Plan	525,547
Employer	1,927,067
Employee	1,088,854

Total additions 2,789,213

Deductions:

Deductions from net assets attributed to:

Benefits paid to participants	675,197
Administrative expenses	30,288

Total deductions 705,485

Net increase 2,083,728

Net assets available for benefits:

Beginning of year 20,945,006

End of year \$ 23,028,734

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

Continental Materials Corporation Employees Profit Sharing Retirement Plan

Notes to Financial Statements

1. Description of the Plan

The following description of the Continental Materials Corporation Employees Profit Sharing Retirement Plan (the "Plan") provides only general information. Participants should refer to the plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

The Plan is a defined contribution plan established to provide retirement benefits to eligible employees. Under the Plan, all non-union employees of Continental Materials Corporation ("CMC") and its subsidiaries (collectively the "Employer") who have met the eligibility requirements may elect to participate in the Plan. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA").

With the exception of amounts in the CMC Stock Fund and the Stable Value Fund (a pooled separate account), plan assets are invested in eight publicly traded mutual funds.

Participation and Contributions

Eligible employees may become plan members on the first day of the first month coincident with or following completion of one year of service, as defined by the Plan, with the Employer.

A participating employee may make both pre-tax and after-tax contributions to the Plan based upon a percentage of compensation. The pre-tax contributions cannot be less than 1% or greater than 15%. After-tax contributions cannot be greater than 10%. Employer contributions are at the discretion of the Board of Directors and are only made on behalf of participants who have made contributions to the Plan. Such employer contributions are allocated to participants based upon the eligible wages of the participant rather than contributions to the Plan.

Vesting

Participant contributions plus the earnings thereon are fully vested. Vesting in the employer contributions and the earnings thereon is determined on a graded schedule based on years of service. A participant is 100% vested after six years of service. If a participant attains age 60, becomes permanently and totally disabled, or dies, the full value of the participant's employer contribution account becomes immediately vested and is nonforfeitable.

Payment of Benefits

A participant is eligible to receive a lump sum distribution upon his/her death, retirement, termination of service, or permanent disability. Participants may also be eligible for benefit payments if they qualify for hardship or in service distributions, as defined in the Plan.

Continental Materials Corporation

Employees Profit Sharing Retirement Plan

Notes to Financial Statements, Continued

Participant Loans

A participant may borrow an amount not to exceed \$50,000 or 50% of the vested portion of his or her account. Each loan must be evidenced by the participant's collateral promissory note, with interest equal to 1% above prime rate in effect at the time of application. The period for repayment of the loan generally cannot exceed five years, unless the loan is used for the purchase of a home, in which case the repayment of the loan cannot exceed fifteen years. The interest paid on loans is transferred to the fund(s) from which the loan principal originated.

Allocation of Forfeitures

Forfeitures of terminated participants are used first to pay administration fees, then reallocated at the time of making the employer contribution to the remaining participants' accounts in the same proportion as the allocation of employer contributions for the year. If a terminated participant returns to employment within five years, the amount previously forfeited may be reinstated.

Administrative Expenses

Investment management, custodial, and record keeping expenses of the Plan are paid with assets of the Plan. Legal and audit expenses and the plan administrator's salary are absorbed by the Employer. Loan fees and portfolio fees are paid out of the accounts of the individuals receiving loans or investing in portfolios.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Presentation

The financial statements have been prepared on an accrual basis of accounting in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

Investment Valuation

The Plan values investments at fair value. Investments in registered investment entities and common stocks are stated at the quoted market price on the last business day of the year. The pooled separate accounts are stated at redemption value as determined by the trustees of such funds based upon the underlying securities stated at fair value.

Interest income is recorded as earned on an accrual basis. Dividend income is recorded as received. Investment transactions are reflected on a settlement-date basis.

Net earnings on investments are allocated to participants on a daily basis.

Continental Materials Corporation Employees Profit Sharing Retirement Plan

Notes to Financial Statements, Continued

Realized and Unrealized Gains and Losses

The Plan presents in the statement of changes in net assets available for benefits the net appreciation (depreciation) in the fair value of its investments which consists of the realized gains or losses and the unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on those investments. Realized gains or losses on sales of securities are based on average cost.

3. Investment Program

Participants may choose from ten investment options which consist of eight mutual funds, one Stable Value Fund and a CMC stock option (which invests in Continental Materials Corporation stock). There are also three pre-mixed allocations that may be chosen. These are designed as income oriented, income and growth oriented, and growth oriented portfolios. Participants may change their investment elections at any time.

At December 31, 2001 and 2000, the CMC stock option held 70,970 and 81,927 shares in the fund with fair value of \$1,398,109 and \$1,146,978, respectively.

4. Investments

The fair value of investments held at December 31, 2001 and 2000 which exceed 5% of total net assets available for benefits are as follows:

	2001	2000
NYLIFE Securities Inc.:		
Stable Value	\$ 4,203,038	\$ 4,149,659
PIMCO Total Return	2,420,973	1,509,182
Eclipse Indexed Equity	3,593,798	3,399,505
Eclipse Value Equity	1,699,199	1,421,007
Franklin Small-Mid Cap Growth	2,307,905	2,140,734
Templeton Foreign	1,172,544	1,130,221
Janus Worldwide	1,476,394	1,650,218
Continental Materials Corporation Common Stock	1,542,580	1,264,479

5. Termination of the Plan

While the Employer has not expressed any intent to terminate the Plan, it is free to do so at any time subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event such termination occurs, the participants will become fully vested in their accounts and the distribution of the Plan's assets to participants or their beneficiaries will be made by the trustee of the Plan.

Continental Materials Corporation Employees Profit Sharing Retirement Plan

Notes to Financial Statements, Continued

6. Federal Income Taxes

The Plan obtained its latest determination letter on July 18, 1995, in which the Internal Revenue Service stated that the Plan, as then designed, was in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Code. The Plan has been amended since receiving the determination letter. However, the plan administrator believes the Plan is currently designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Code. Therefore, no provision for income taxes has been included in the Plan's financial statements.

7. Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan provides for various investment options. These options consist of a combination of investment securities including a pooled separate account, investments in registered investment entities and common stock. These investment securities are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, market and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the value of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the statement of net assets available for plan benefits and the statement of changes in net assets available for plan benefits.

**Continental Materials Corporation
Employees Profit Sharing Retirement Plan**

**Line 4i, Form 5500 - Schedule of Assets Held for Investment Purposes
as of December 31, 2001**

Identity of Issue	Description of Investment	Current Value
* NYLIFE Securities Inc:		
Stable Value	Pooled separate account	\$ 4,203,038
PIMCO Total Return	Registered Investment Entity	2,420,973
Eclipse Indexed Equity	Registered Investment Entity	3,593,798
Eclipse Value Equity	Registered Investment Entity	1,699,199
Franklin Small Cap Growth	Registered Investment Entity	2,307,905
Janus Twenty	Registered Investment Entity	937,677
Templeton Developing Markets	Registered Investment Entity	244,678
Janus Worldwide	Registered Investment Entity	1,476,394
Templeton Foreign	Registered Investment Entity	1,172,544
* Continental Materials Corporation Common Stock	Common stock	1,542,580
* Loans to participants	Interest rates at 5 3/4 - 10 1/2%	1,395,438
		<u>\$ 20,994,224</u>

*Represents a party-in-interest to the Plan.

INDEX TO EXHIBITS

Exhibit

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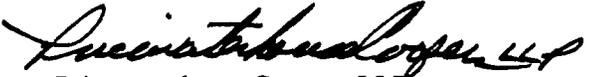
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Consent of Independent Accountants

EXHIBIT 23

CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS

We hereby consent to the incorporation by reference in the registration statement on Form S-8 (File No. 33-23671) of Continental Materials Corporation of our report dated May 10, 2002 on our audits of the financial statements and supplemental schedule of the Continental Materials Corporation Employees Profit Sharing Retirement Plan as of December 31, 2001 and 2000 and for the year ended December 31, 2001, which is included in this annual report on Form 11-K.


PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

June 17, 2002

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Trustee of the Continental Materials Corporation Employees Profit Sharing Retirement Plan, having administrative responsibility of the Plan, has duly caused this annual report to be signed by the undersigned thereunto daily authorized.

Continental Materials Corporation Employee Profit
Sharing Retirement Plan

/S/ Joseph J. Sum

Joseph J. Sum
Fiduciary of the Continental Materials Corporation
Employees Profit Sharing Retirement Plan

Date: June 17, 2001