DELTA & PINE LAND CO

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A	Symbol					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (M		DELTA & PINE LAND CO [DLP] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction			(Check all applicable)			
` ,		(Month/I	Day/Year)	ansaction			Director		Owner
ONE COTT STREET	IAIN 05/22/2	05/22/2006				X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President			
	(Street)		endment, Da nth/Day/Year	_	1		6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by 0	-	
SCOTT, MS						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	Zip) Tab	le I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D) 5) Price	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/22/2006		S	754	D	\$ 27.95	5,219	D	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 26.31					07/02/2005	05/18/2012	Common Stock	12,662	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 27.56					05/18/2005	05/18/2012	Common Stock	4,608	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 28.81					05/18/2005	05/18/2012	Common Stock	5,033	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 30.06					05/18/2005	05/18/2012	Common Stock	5,482	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Ke	iationships	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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MICHELL CHARLES V JR ONE COTTON ROW 100 MAIN STREET SCOTT, MS 38772

Vice President

Signatures

Rhonda 05/22/2006 Strickland

**Signature of Date

Reporting Person

2 Reporting Owners

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