TENNANT CO Form 4 February 17, 2006

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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obligations

may continue.

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

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Coopersmith Steven M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

TENNANT CO [TNC]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2006

TENNANT COMPANY, LAW DEPT., MD 29, 701 N. LILAC DR.

(Street)

(State)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

VP, Global Marketing

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

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MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55422

(City)

(City)	(State)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ities Acq	quired, Disposed (of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	` '			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/15/2006		A	179 (1)	A	\$ 53.1	1,010	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2006		A	770 (2)	A	\$ 53.1	1,780	D	
Common Stock							428.457	I	ESOP & Profit Sharing

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transact	5. Number			7. Title and		8. Pri Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Mondin Day, Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative	(Month/Day	piration Date Ionth/Day/Year)		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Short-Term Incentive Plan Deferred Stock Units	(3)	02/15/2006		A	379	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	379	\$ 5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Coopersmith Steven M TENNANT COMPANY, LAW DEPT., MD 29 701 N. LILAC DR. MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55422

VP, Global Marketing

Signatures

/s/John S. Livingston, as Attorney in Fact 02/17/2006

**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) Award of unrestricted stock pursuant to the 1998 Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- (2) Award of restricted stock pursuant to the 1999 Plan for Short-Term Incentive Plan Awards, vesting 50% on February 15, 2007, and 50% on February 15, 2008.
- (3) 2005 STIP Deferred Stock Units: the units are issued at a rate of \$1.20 for each dollar of bonus earned. The units are vested upon grant; however, the 20% premium vests three years after the grant on February 15, 2009. Dividend units are added.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Reporting Owners 2

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