

SPARTAN STORES INC  
Form 4/A  
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**FORM 4**

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**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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
VAN HALL THOMAS A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O 850 - 76TH STREET SW

(Street)

GRAND RAPIDS, MI 49518

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SPARTAN STORES INC [SPTN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/06/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  
02/08/2006

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Vice President of Finance

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

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	02/06/2006		M	12,500 A \$ 2.29	46,831 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	02/06/2006		M	781 A \$ 3.25	47,612 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	02/06/2006		F	6,358 D \$ 11.605	41,254 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock					491,231	I	By 401(k)
Common Stock					13,000 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Wife's Trust

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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. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.29	02/06/2006		M	6,250	05/07/2004 05/06/2013	Common Stock	6,250
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.29	02/06/2006		M	6,250	05/07/2005 05/06/2013	Common Stock	6,250
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.29					05/07/2006 05/06/2013	Common Stock	6,250
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.29					05/07/2007 05/06/2013	Common Stock	6,250
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.25	02/06/2006		M	781	05/12/2005 05/11/2014	Common Stock	781
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.25					05/12/2006 05/11/2014	Common Stock	781
Stock Option	\$ 3.25					05/12/2007 05/11/2014	Common Stock	781

(Right to Buy)

Stock

Option (Right to Buy) \$ 3.25

05/12/2008 05/11/2014 Common Stock 782

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
VAN HALL THOMAS A C/O 850 - 76TH STREET SW GRAND RAPIDS, MI 49518			Vice President of Finance	

## Signatures

/s/ Gordon R. Lewis, by power of attorney 03/10/2006

\_\_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).
- On February 6, 2006, a Form 4 was filed on behalf of Mr. Van Hall that incorrectly reported the amount of securities beneficially owned (1) on Table 1 and information concerning the stock options exercised on Table 2 due to an administrative error. This Form 4 Amendment is filed for the purpose of correcting share amounts and information concerning the exercise of options.

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