

VERTICALNET INC

Form 4

March 03, 2006

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
LENTZ NATHANAEL V

(Last) (First) (Middle)

400 CHESTER FIELD PARKWAY

(Street)

MALVERN, PA 19355

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
VERTICALNET INC [VERT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/01/2006

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)

President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ 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)
Common Stock	03/01/2006		A	Amount (1) 123,750	(A) or (D) A Price \$ 0.01 (2)	452,129 (3)	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. 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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LENTZ NATHANAEL V 400 CHESTER FIELD PARKWAY MALVERN, PA 19355	X		President and CEO	

Signatures

Christopher G. Kuhn, power of attorney
03/03/2006
____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 Restricted Stock pursuant to 2000 Equity Compensation Plan. 100% of the grant vests on September 1, 2006 provided reporting person is a employee on that date.
- (2) Payable upon distribution of the shares.
- Includes: 123,750 shares of Common Stock that may be issued upon vesting of Restricted Stock; 100% of the 123,750 shares of Restricted Stock vest on September 1, 2006 provided the reporting person is an employee on that date; 34,375 shares of Common Stock that may be issued upon vesting of Restricted Stock Units; 25% of the 34,375 Restricted Stock Units vests on May 5, 2006; 6.25% vests on the fifth day of every third month thereafter until and including May 5, 2009 provided reporting person is an employee on those dates; and 34,375 shares of Common Stock that may be issued on the vesting of Restricted Stock Units; 25% of the 34,375 Restricted Stock Units vests on September 8, 2006; 6.25% vests on the eighth day of every third month thereafter until and including September 8, 2009 provided reporting person is an employee on those dates.

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