#### **DELTA & PINE LAND CO**

Form 4

January 26, 2005

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

DELTA & PINE LAND CO [DLP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Symbol

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

**HUGIE WILLIAM V** 

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

(First)

(Middle)

See Instruction

ONE COT STREET		(Month/Day/Year) 01/25/2005				Director _X_ Officer (give t elow) Vic		Owner er (specify				
			led(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person						
SCOTT, M	IS 38772		_				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	able I - Non-	-Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	ies Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code	omr Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed of	` '	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	01/25/2005		M	5,300	A	\$ 16.91	5,300	D				
Common Stock	01/25/2005		S	5,300	D	\$ 29.0773	0	D				
Common Stock	01/25/2005		M	17,777	A	\$ 22.36	17,777	D				
Common Stock	01/26/2005		S	17,777	D	\$ 28.7428	0	D				
Common Stock	01/26/2005		J <u>(1)</u>	5.7744	D	\$ 0	504.6416	I	401(k)			

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ionDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 16.91	01/25/2005		M		5,300	01/26/2001	01/26/2010	Common Stock	5,300
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 19.62						03/30/2001	03/30/2010	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 22.36	01/25/2005		M		17,777	10/18/1997	10/18/2006	Common Stock	17,777
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 26.82						10/28/1998	10/28/2007	Common Stock	80,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HUGIE WILLIAM V							
ONE COTTON ROW	Vice Desident						
100 MAIN STREET		Vice President					
SCOTT, MS 38772							

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## **Signatures**

Rhonda 01/26/2005 Strickland

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

### **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) 401(k) change in ownership

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