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1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading MURPHY JOSEPH M Issuer Symbol DELTA & PINE LAND CO [DLP] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify VALUE PROPERTIES, INC., 200 12/14/2005 below) EAST 42ND STREET (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NEW YORK, NY 10017 (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of TransactionAcquired (A) or Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, a 5)	(D)	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	Amoun Numbe Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.97						04/26/2003	04/25/2012	Common Stock	2,66
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 19.62						03/30/2001	03/30/2010	Common Stock	82,66
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 21.21						02/27/1998	02/27/2007	Common Stock	7,11
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 23.68						06/21/2002	06/20/2011	Common Stock	2,66
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 26.31						07/02/2005	05/18/2012	Common Stock	12,00
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 32.8						02/25/2000	02/27/2009	Common Stock	2,66
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 37.44						02/26/1999	02/26/2008	Common Stock	2,66
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	12/14/2005		<u>J(1)</u>	25.4649		05/19/2006	05/18/2012	Common Stock	25.46

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

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MURPHY JOSEPH M VALUE PROPERTIES, INC. 200 EAST 42ND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10017

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Signatures

Rhonda Strickland, attorney in fact

12/15/2005

**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) Reflects the addition to the Reporting Person's account the Restricted Stock Unit equivalent of the dividend payable at the transaction date on the Company's publicly-held shares, which is not a Discretionary Transaction as defined in Rule 16b-3(b)(1).

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