SPRINT NEXTEL CORP

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LORIMER LINDA KOCH

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

SPRINT NEXTEL CORP [S]

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

2001 EDMUND HALLEY DRIVE

(First)

(Middle)

03/13/2006

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly 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)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(======================================	
Common Stock	03/13/2006		S	7,300	D	\$ 25.55	38,859	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2006		S	22,700	D	\$ 25.52	16,159	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2006		S	12,253	D	\$ 25.47	3,906	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2006		M	4,000	A	\$ 17.921	7,906	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2006		M	1,000	A	\$ 7.813	8,906	D	
	03/13/2006		M	4,000	A		12,906	D	

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Common Stock					\$ 19.978		
Common Stock	03/13/2006	M	1,000	A	\$ 8.71	13,906	D
Common Stock	03/13/2006	M	3,275	A	\$ 17.8	17,181	D
Common Stock	03/13/2006	M	6,550	A	\$ 12.965	23,731 (1)	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)

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 proof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day	Date	7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option(right to buy)	\$ 17.921	03/13/2006		M	4,000	(2)	04/16/2006	Common Stock	4,00
Non-Qualified Stock Option(right to buy)	\$ 19.978	03/13/2006		M	4,000	(2)	04/15/2007	Common Stock	4,00
Non-Qualified Stock Option(right to buy)	\$ 12.965	03/13/2006		M	6,550	(2)	02/19/2012	Common Stock	6,55
Non-Qualified Stock Option(right to buy)	\$ 7.813	03/13/2006		M	1,000	(2)	04/16/2006	Common Stock	1,00

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Non-Qualified Stock Option(right to buy)	\$ 8.71	03/13/2006	M	1,000	(2)	04/15/2007	Common Stock	1,00
Non-Qualified Stock Option(right to buy)	\$ 17.8	03/13/2006	M	3,275	(2)	02/19/2012	Common Stock	3,27

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LORIMER LINDA KOCH

2001 EDMUND HALLEY DRIVE X

2001 EDMUND HALLEY DRIVE RESTON, VA 20191

Signatures

/s/ Richard Montfort Attorney-in-Fact 03/15/2006

**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) Includes 13,913 shares of restricted stock or share units, which are subject to forfeiture until they vest.
- (2) Options fully vested.

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