#### SPRINT NEXTEL CORP

Form 4 May 25, 2006

## 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 \* Angelino Mark E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

SPRINT NEXTEL CORP [S]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

05/23/2006

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

2001 EDMUND HALLEY DRIVE

(First)

(Middle)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify \_X\_\_ Officer (give title

below) **President-Business Solutions** 

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

RESTON, VA 20191

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativo	e Secu	rities 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)	4. Securi omr Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of	` ′	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	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/23/2006		M	2,969	A	\$ 3.77 (1)	25,984	D	
Common Stock	05/23/2006		M	1,187	A	\$ 8.65 (1)	27,171	D	
Common Stock	05/23/2006		M	296	A	\$ 10.53 (1)	27,467	D	
Common Stock	05/23/2006		M	296	A	\$ 13.58 (1)	27,763	D	
Common Stock	05/23/2006		S	4,748	D	\$ 22.2748	23,015 (2)	D	

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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 conf 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 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)	\$ 3.77 (1)	05/23/2006		M	2,969 (1)	(3)	04/23/2012	Common Stock	2,96
Non-Qualified Stock Option(right to buy)	\$ 8.65 <u>(1)</u>	05/23/2006		M	1,187 (1)	(3)	02/13/2013	Common Stock	1,18
Non-Qualified Stock Option(right to buy)	\$ 10.53 (1)	05/23/2006		M	296 (1)	(3)	05/30/2013	Common Stock	296
Non-Qualified Stock Option(right to buy)	\$ 13.58 (1)	05/23/2006		M	296 (1)	(3)	08/29/2013	Common Stock	296

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
in porting of more remained and account	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Angelino Mark E 2001 EDMUND HALLEY DRIVE RESTON, VA 20191			President-Business Solutions				

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## **Signatures**

/s/ Richard Montfort Attorney-in-Fact

05/25/2006

\*\*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).
- Effective at the time of the spin-off by Sprint Nextel of its local communications business, all outstanding options to purchase Sprint Nextel common stock were adjusted by multiplying the number of shares by 1.0955 and dividing the exercise price by the same number. This number was obtained by dividing the "regular way" closing price of Sprint Nextel common stock on the NYSE on May 17, 2006 by the "ex-dividend" closing price of Sprint Nextel common stock on the NYSE on May 17, 2006.
  - Includes 17,100 share units or deferred shares, which are subject to forfeiture until they vest. Effective at the time of the spin-off by Sprint Nextel of its local communications business, outstanding deferred shares representing Sprint Nextel stock granted under the Nextel
- (2) Incentive Equity Plan were adjusted by multiplying the number of shares by 1.0955. This number was obtained by dividing the "regular way" closing price of Sprint Nextel common stock on the NYSE on May 17, 2006 by the "ex-dividend" closing price of Sprint Nextel common stock on the NYSE on May 17, 2006.
- (3) Vesting of options take place over four years on a monthly basis from the date of grant.

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