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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement DELTA APPAREL INC [DLA] Spires Kenneth D (Month/Day/Year) 06/13/2007 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 2750 PREMIERE (Check all applicable) PARKWAY, SUITE 100 (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting President, MJ Soffe Co Person DULUTH, GAÂ 30097 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

61,920

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
Security	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial
(Instr. 4)	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Title	Derivative	Security:	
			Security	Direct (D)	

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		Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option - Right to Buy	07/05/2005(1)	07/05/2014	Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	14,000	\$ 11.28	D	Â
Stock Option - Right to Buy	07/04/2006(2)	07/03/2015	Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	70,000	\$ 13.35	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
.r g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Spires Kenneth D 2750 PREMIERE PARKWAY SUITE 100 DULUTH Â GAÂ 30097	Â	Â	President, MJ Soffe Co	Â	

Signatures

By: Martha M.
Watson, POA

**Signature of Reporting
Person

Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) The option is 100% vested and exercisable on the first anniversary of the date of grant.
- (2) The option vests 25% per year beginning on July 4, 2006 and each anniversary thereafter until fully vested.

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