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

Form 4

September 15, 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).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A SCHEIDT R	ddress of Reporting P RUDI E	erson * 2. Issuer Symbol	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (M		& PINE LA	AND CO [DLP]	(Check all applicable)				
54 SOUTH WHITE STATION (Month) 09/14/			ay/Year)	saction	_X_ Director Officer (gives below)		% Owner er (specify		
ROAD	ROAD (Street) 4. If Amer Filed(Mon			Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)				
MEMPHIS,	TN 38117					_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State) (	Zip) Table	e I - Non-Deri	ivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction ACode I (Instr. 8) (	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or Amount (D) Price	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)		
Stock					32,081	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)

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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. 5. TransactionNumber Code of (Instr. 8) 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 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)	\$ 18.97					04/25/2003	04/25/2012	Common Stock	2,666
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 19.62					03/30/2001	03/30/2010	Common Stock	82,666
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 21.21					02/27/1998	02/27/2007	Common Stock	8,889
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 23.68					06/20/2002	06/20/2011	Common Stock	2,666
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 26.31					07/02/2005	05/18/2012	Common Stock	12,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 32.8					02/25/2000	02/25/2009	Common Stock	2,666
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 37.44					02/26/1999	02/26/2008	Common Stock	2,666
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	09/14/2006		<u>J(1)</u>	9	05/19/2006	05/18/2012	Common Stock	9

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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SCHEIDT RUDI E 54 SOUTH WHITE STATION ROAD X MEMPHIS, TN 38117

## **Signatures**

Rhonda Strickland, attorney in fact 09/15/2006

\*\*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) 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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