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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

HABIG BRENT Issuer Symbol VERTICALNET INC [VERT] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 261 5TH AVENUE 05/05/2005 below) below) **Executive Vice President**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Street)
4. If Amendment, Date Original
6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Filed(Month/Day/Year)
Applicable Line)

Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

NEW YORK, NY 10016

(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 Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price \$ Common 12,500 05/05/2005 0.01 D Α $949,510 \frac{(3)}{2}$ (1) Stock (2)

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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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HABIG BRENT 261 5TH AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10016

Executive Vice President

Signatures

Christopher G. Kuhn, power of attorney 05/09/2005

**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) Award of Restricted Stock Unit pursuant to 2000 Equity Compensation Plan. 25% of the grant vests on May 5, 2006; 2.083% vests on the fifth day of each month thereafter until and including May 5, 2009 provided reporting person is an employee on those dates.
- (2) Payable upon distribution of the shares.
- Includes; 13,158 shares of Common Stock that may be issued upon vesting of Restricted Stock Units. 100% of the 13,158 Restricted

 Stock Units vest on March 2, 2006 provided the reporting person is an employee on that date; and 12,500 shares of Common Stock that may be issued upon vesting of Restricted Stock Units. 25% of the 12,500 Restricted Stock Units vests on May 5, 2006; 2.083% vests on the fifth day of every month thereafter until and including May 5, 2009 provided reporting person is an employee on those dates.

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