LINENS N THINGS INC

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

KAMERSCHEN ROBERT		Symbol					Issuer			
		LINENS N THINGS INC [LIN]				(Check all applicable)				
(Last) C/O LINEN BRIGHTON	(Month/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/05/2005				_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
CLIFTON, I	(Street) NJ 07012		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			
(City)		Zip) Tal	ala I. Nan I	Namirrativa (2	tina An	Person	of an Danoficia	llv: Overnad	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed	3. Transacti Code) (Instr. 8)	4. Securi onAcquired Disposed	ities d (A) of d of (D 4 and (A) or	or))	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, par value \$0.01 per share	05/05/2005		A	982	A	\$0	982	D (1)		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	05/05/2005		A	1,400	A	\$0	1,400	D (2)		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share							6,100	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	tive Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) of		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Deriva Securit (Instr.)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 23.76	05/05/2005		A	4,000	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	4,000	\$ (

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
KAMERSCHEN ROBERT C/O LINENS 'N THINGS, INC. 6 BRIGHTON ROAD CLIFTON, NJ 07012	X					

Signatures

/s/ Brian D. Silva, Attorney-in-Fact 05/09/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person D

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) Stock awarded in lieu of cash for Directors retainer.
- (2) Restricted stock units granted May 5, 2005, of which 50% will vest on November 6, 2005 and 50% will vest on May 6, 2006.
- (3) Options are exercisable in one-third increments on May 5, 2006, May 5, 2007 and May 5, 2008. Options expire on May 5, 2012. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

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