FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Responses	s)														
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *- WATSON MARTHA M				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DELTA APPAREL INC [DLA]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
2750 PREMIERE PARKWAY, SUITE 100				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/17/2004							X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) V.P Human Resources					
(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					
DULUTH, GA 30097 (City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu							ured, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 8)		(A) or Disposed of		of (D)			I Following on(s)	Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
						C	ode	VA	moun	(A) or (D)	Price				or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value 09		09/17/2004				S	1	,000	D	\$ 23.9	13,182		D			
			Table II -	· Derivative			Acquir	current	lly val	id OMB of, or Be	contro neficia	ol number	r .	form displays	a	
				(e.g., puts,	alls, v	warra	nts, oj	ptions, c	conver	tible sec	urities)				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Amo Unde Secu	tle and bunt of erlying rities r. 3 and	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)		Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Reporting Owners

Panarting Owner Name / Address	10	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
WATSON MARTHA M 2750 PREMIERE PARKWA SUITE 100 DULUTH, GA 30097	Y		V.P Human Resources						

Signatures

/s/ Watson, Martha M.	09/20/2004			
**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).

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