

LINENS N THINGS INC
 Form 4
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Jacobsen Jakup a Dul

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 SMARATORGI 1,
 (Street)

201 KOPAVOGI, K6 104

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 LINENS N THINGS INC [LIN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 10/21/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed
 (Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___X___ 10% Owner
 ___ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 ___ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, 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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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Derivative Security	Code	V	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
			(A)	(D)				
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>			1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>		10/26/2005	04/05/2006	Common Stock	15,000
\$ 24.25 <u>(3)</u>								
10/21/2005 ⁽⁴⁾								
	P							
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>			1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>		10/26/2005	04/05/2006	Common Stock	25,000
\$ 24.4442 <u>(3)</u>								
10/24/2005 ⁽⁴⁾								
	P							
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>			1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>		10/26/2005	04/05/2006	Common Stock	25,000
\$ 24.5028 <u>(3)</u>								
10/24/2005 ⁽⁴⁾								
	P							
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>			1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>		10/26/2005	04/05/2006	Common Stock	15,800
\$ 24.6906 <u>(3)</u>								
10/24/2005 ⁽⁴⁾								
	P							
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>			1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>		10/26/2005	04/05/2006	Common Stock	25,000
\$ 24.65 <u>(3)</u>								
10/24/2005 ⁽⁴⁾								
	P							
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>			1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>		10/26/2005	04/05/2006	Common Stock	9,200
\$ 24.4587 <u>(3)</u>								
10/24/2005 ⁽⁴⁾								
	P							
Equity Swap			1 <u>(1)</u>		10/26/2005	04/05/2006	Common Stock	10,000
\$ 24.83 <u>(3)</u>								
10/24/2005 ⁽⁴⁾								
	P							

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(obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>				<u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>						
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	\$ 24.7434 <u>(3)</u>	10/24/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	P	1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>	10/26/2005	04/05/2006	Common Stock	8,700	2	
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	\$ 24.7943 <u>(3)</u>	10/24/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	P	1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>	10/26/2005	04/05/2006	Common Stock	5,900	2	
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	\$ 24.8189 <u>(3)</u>	10/24/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	P	1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>	10/26/2005	04/05/2006	Common Stock	10,400	2	
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	\$ 24.9094 <u>(3)</u>	10/24/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	P	1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>	10/26/2005	04/05/2006	Common Stock	14,400	2	
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	\$ 25 <u>(3)</u>	10/24/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	P	1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>	10/26/2005	04/05/2006	Common Stock	25,000	\$	
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	\$ 25 <u>(3)</u>	10/24/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	P	1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>	10/26/2005	04/05/2006	Common Stock	25,000	\$	
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	\$ 25 <u>(3)</u>	10/24/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	P	1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>	10/26/2005	04/05/2006	Common Stock	25,000	\$	
		10/24/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	P		10/26/2005	04/05/2006		50,000		

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Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	\$ 25.069 <u>(3)</u>							Common Stock		\$
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	\$ 24.75 <u>(3)</u>	10/25/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	P	1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>	10/26/2005	04/05/2006		Common Stock	25,000	\$
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	\$ 24.7 ⁽³⁾	10/25/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	P	1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>	10/26/2005	04/05/2006		Common Stock	25,000	\$
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	\$ 24.668 <u>(3)</u>	10/25/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	P	1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>	10/26/2005	04/05/2006		Common Stock	10,000	\$
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	\$ 24.6906 <u>(3)</u>	10/25/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	P	1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>	10/26/2005	04/05/2006		Common Stock	10,000	2
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	\$ 24.6994 <u>(3)</u>	10/25/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	P	1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>	10/26/2005	04/05/2006		Common Stock	10,000	2
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	\$ 24.7015 <u>(3)</u>	10/25/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	P	1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>	10/26/2005	04/05/2006		Common Stock	10,000	2
Equity Swap (obligation to purchase)	\$ 24.6928 <u>(3)</u>	10/25/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	P	1 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>	10/26/2005	04/05/2006		Common Stock	10,000	2

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(1) (2)

Equity
Swap

(obligation to purchase)

\$ 24.6748
(3)

10/25/2005⁽⁴⁾

P

1
(1)
(2)
(5)

10/26/2005 04/05/2006

Common
Stock

10,000 2

(1) (2)

Equity
Swap

(obligation to purchase)

\$ 24.7028
(3)

10/25/2005⁽⁴⁾

P

1
(1)
(2)
(5)

10/26/2005 04/05/2006

Common
Stock

10,000 2

(1) (2)

Equity
Swap

(obligation to purchase)

\$ 24.7014
(3)

10/25/2005⁽⁴⁾

P

1
(1)
(2)
(5)

10/26/2005 04/05/2006

Common
Stock

10,000 2

Equity
Swap

(obligation to purchase)

\$ 24.8192
(3)

10/25/2005⁽⁴⁾

P

1
(1)
(2)
(5)

10/26/2005 04/05/2006

Common
Stock

50,000 2

(1) (2)

Equity
Swap

(obligation to purchase)

\$ 24.929
(3)

10/25/2005

P

1
(1)
(2)
(5)

10/26/2005 04/05/2006

Common
Stock

50,000 \$

(1) (2)

Equity
Swap

(obligation to purchase)

\$ 24.9781
(3)

10/25/2005⁽⁴⁾

P

1
(1)
(2)
(5)

10/26/2005 04/05/2006

Common
Stock

25,000 2

(1) (2)

Equity
Swap

(obligation to purchase)

\$ 25 (3)

10/25/2005⁽⁴⁾

P

1
(1)
(2)
(5)

10/26/2005 04/05/2006

Common
Stock

25,000 \$

(1) (2)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Reporting Owners

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Jacobsen Jakup a Dul
SMARATORGI 1
201 KOPAVOGI, K6 104

X

Lagerinn ehf
SMARATORGI 1
201 KOPAVOGI, K6 104

X

TF Holding P/F
KONGABRUGVIN
POST BOX 329
TORSHAVN, H6 FO 110

X

Signatures

/s/ Jakup a Dul
Jacobsen

10/26/2005

__Signature of Reporting
Person

Date

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