DELFS JAMES G

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **DELFS JAMES G**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

STEIN MART INC [SMRT]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify

02/26/2007

X_ Officer (give title below) below) SVP, CFO

C/O STEIN MART INC, 1200 RIVERPLACE BLVD

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

JACKSONVILLE, FL 32207

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (A) 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)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	02/26/2007		,	1 11110 0111	, ,	\$ 13.8125	34,211	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	02/26/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	3,636	D	\$ 15.5006	30,575	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)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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 Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (to purchase)	\$ 13.8125	02/26/2007		M	3,636	(2)	03/14/2007	Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value	3,63

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DELFS JAMES G C/O STEIN MART INC 1200 RIVERPLACE BLVD JACKSONVILLE, FL 32207

SVP, CFO

Signatures

/s/ James G. 02/28/2007

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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).
- The exercise of an option and the same day sale of the underlying shares reported on this Form 4 were made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 (1) plan adopted by the reporting person on December 8, 2006. As disclosed in Table II, this option was and the remainder of the option (covering 82,979 shares) is scheduled to expire on March 14, 2007.
- (2) Granted pursuant to Stein Mart, Inc. Employee Stock Option Plan. Shares vested 33% @ 3rd year, 33% @ 4th year and 34% at 5th year. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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