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#### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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#### FORM F-6

#### REGISTRATION STATEMENT

under

#### THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

For Depositary Shares Evidenced by American Depositary Receipts

### **SPARK NETWORKS plc**

(Exact name of issuer of deposited securities as specified in its charter)

#### N/A

(Translation of issuer's name into English)

England and Wales

(Jurisdiction of incorporation or organization of issuer)

#### THE BANK OF NEW YORK

(Exact name of depositary as specified in its charter)

One Wall Street New York, N.Y. 10286

(212) 495-1784

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of depositary's principal executive offices)

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The Bank of New York

**ADR Division** 

One Wall Street, 29th Floor

New York, New York 10286

(212) 495-1784

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of agent for service)

Copies to:

Peter B. Tisne, Esq.

Emmet, Marvin & Martin, LLP

120 Broadway

New York, New York 10271

(212) 238-3010

It is proposed that this filing become effective under Rule 466

[] immediately upon filing

[] on (Date) at (Time).

If a separate registration statement has been filed to register the deposited shares, check the following box. [X]

## CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Title of each class of Amount to be Proposed maximum Proposed Amount of registered aggregate price per maximum registration

Securities to be registered		unit (1)	aggregate offering price <sup>(1)</sup>	fee
American Depositary Shares representing ordinary shares of Spark	100,000,000			
Networks plc	American	\$5.00	\$5,000,000	\$535.00
	Depositary Shares			
(1)				

For the purpose of this table only the term "unit" is defined as 100 American Depositary Shares.

The registrant hereby amends this registration statement on such date or dates as may be necessary to delay its effective date until the registrant shall file a further amendment which specifically states that this Registration Statement shall thereafter become effective in accordance with Section 8(a) of the Securities Act of 1933 or until the Registration Statement shall become effective on such date as the Commission, acting pursuant to said Section 8(a), may determine.

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The prospectus consists of the proposed form of American Depositary Receipt included as Exhibit A to the form of Deposit Agreement filed as Exhibit 1 to this Registration Statement which is incorporated herein by reference.

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#### INFORMATION REQUIRED IN PROSPECTUS

Item - 1.

#### Description of Securities to be Registered

#### Cross Reference Sheet

Location in Form of Receipt

Item Number and Caption

Filed Herewith as Prospectus

Introductory Article

Name and address of depositary

2. Face of Receipt, top center

Title of American Depositary Receipts and identity of deposited securities

Terms of Deposit:

(i) The amount of deposited securities repres	ented by one unit of Face of Receipt, upper right
American Depositary Receipts	corner

(ii) The procedure for voting, if any, the deposited securities
 (iii) The collection and distribution of dividends
 Articles number 15, 16 and 18
 Articles number 4, 12, 13, 15 and 18

- (iv) The transmission of notices, reports and proxy soliciting Articles number 11, 15, 16 and 18 material
- (v) The sale or exercise of rights Articles number 13, 14, 15 and 18
- (vi) The deposit or sale of securities resulting from dividends, Articles number 12, 13, 15, 17 and splits or plans of reorganization 18
- (vii) Amendment, extension or termination of the deposit Articles number 20 and 21 agreement
- (viii) Rights of holders of Receipts to inspect the transfer books Article number 11 of the depositary and the list of holders of Receipts
- (ix) Restrictions upon the right to deposit or withdraw the Articles number 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 8 underlying securities

(x) Limitation upon the liability of the depositary	Articles number 14, 18, 19 and 21		
3. Fees and Charges	Articles number 7 and 8		
Item - 2.			
Available Information			
Public reports furnished by issuer	Article number 11		
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PART II			
INFORMATION NOT REQUIRE	D IN PROSPECTUS		
Item - 3.			
<u>Exhibits</u>			
a.			
Form of Deposit Agreement dated as of, 2006 am Depositary, and all Owners and Beneficial Owners from time	ong Spark Networks plc, The Bank of New York as to time of American Depositary Receipts issued		

thereunder. - Filed herewith as Exhibit 1.

b.

Any other agreement to which the Depositary is a party relating to the issuance of the Depositary Shares registered hereby or the custody of the deposited securities represented. - Not Applicable.

c.

Every material contract relating to the deposited securities between the Depositary and the issuer of the deposited securities in effect at any time within the last three years. Not applicable.

d.

Opinion of Emmet, Marvin & Martin, LLP, counsel for the Depositary, as to legality of the securities to be registered. Filed herewith as Exhibit 4.

e.

Certification under Rule 466. Not Applicable.

Item - 4.

#### **Undertakings**

(a)

The Depositary hereby undertakes to make available at the principal office of the Depositary in the United States, for inspection by holders of the ADRs, any reports and communications received from the issuer of the deposited securities which are both (1) received by the Depositary as the holder of the deposited securities, and (2) made generally available to the holders of the underlying securities by the issuer.

(b)

If the amounts of fees charged are not disclosed in the prospectus, the Depositary undertakes to prepare a separate document stating the amount of any fee charged and describing the service for which it is charged and to deliver promptly a copy of such fee schedule without charge to anyone upon request. The Depositary undertakes to notify each registered holder of an ADR thirty days before any change in the fee schedule.

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#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that all the requirements for filing on Form F-6 are met and has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of New York, State of New York, on February 7, 2006.

Legal entity created by the agreement for the issuance of American Depositary Receipts for ordinary shares of Spark Networks plc.

By:

The Bank of New York,

As Depositary

By:

/s/ Vincent J. Cahill, Jr.

Vincent J. Cahill, Jr.

Vice President

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Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, Spark Networks plc has caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized, in Beverly Hills, California, on February 7, 2006.

#### **SPARK NETWORKS plc**

By: /s/ David E. Siminoff

David E. Siminoff

Chief Executive Officer and President

Each person whose signature appears below hereby constitutes and appoints David E. Siminoff and Mark Thompson, and each of them severally, his or her true and lawful attorney-in-fact with power of substitution and resubstitution to sign in his or her name, place and stead in any and all capacities the Registration Statement and any and all amendments thereto (including post-effective amendments) and any documents in connection therewith, and to file the same with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto each of said attorneys full power to act with or without the other, and full power and authority to do and perform, in his or her name and on his or her behalf, every act whatsoever which such attorneys, or any one of them, may deem necessary or desirable to be done in connection therewith as fully and to all intents and purposes as he or she might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorney-in-fact, or any of them, or their substitute or substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Registration Statement has been signed below by the following persons in the capacities indicated on February 7, 2006.

/s/ David E. Siminoff

Chief Executive Officer and President

David E. Siminoff

(principal executive officer and authorized	
representative in the United States)	
/s/ Mark Thompson	
Chief Financial Officer	
Mark Thompson	
(principal financial and accounting officer)	
Executive Chairman of the Board and Director	
Joe Shapira	
Director	
Michael Brown	
/s/ Martial Chaillet	
Director	
Martial Chaillet	
/s/ Benjamin Derhy	

Director

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Benjamin Derhy	
/s/ Laura Lauder	
Director	
Laura Lauder	
/s/ Scott Shleifer	
Director	
Scott Shleifer	

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# INDEX TO EXHIBITS

**Exhibit** 

Number Exhibit

1

Form of Deposit Agreement dated as of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2006, among Spark Networks plc, The Bank of New York as Depositary, and all Owners and Beneficial Owners from time to time of American Depositary Receipts issued thereunder.

Opinion of Emmet, Marvin & Martin, LLP, counsel for the Depositary, as to legality of the securities to be registered.

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