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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> PAULSON THOMAS	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TENNANT CO [TNC]				
(Last) (First) (Middle)	03/22/2006	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				
TENNANT COMPANY, 701 N. LILAC DRIVE		(Check all applicable)				
(Street) MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55422		Director10% Owner _XOfficer Other Other (specify below) Vice President, CFO				
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - N	Ion-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Beneficially (Instr. 4)					
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise	Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
			(Instr. 4)		Price of Derivative	Derivative Security:	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	

(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
PAULSON THOMAS TENNANT COMPANY 701 N. LILAC DRIVE MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55422	Â	Â	Vice President, CFO	Â			
Signatures							
/s/John S. Livingston, as Attorney-in-Fact	03/22/2006						
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date					
Explanation of Poenoneoe:							

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

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