SPIRIT FINANCE CORP

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Mitchem Dennis E Issuer Symbol SPIRIT FINANCE CORP [SFC] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title 14631 N. SCOTTSDALE ROAD, 01/20/2006 below) **SUITE 200** 4. If Amendment, Date Original (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person 04/27/2006 Form filed by More than One Reporting

SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85254

(State)

(Zip)

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired (A) or			5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of		
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactiorDisposed of (D)				Securities	Ownership	Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial			
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	istr. 8)			Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership		
		•					Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)		
							Reported	(I)			
					(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)			
					or		(Instr. 3 and 4)	,			
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	()				
Common	01/20/2006(1)		P	182.3	A	\$	27,623.3	D			
Stock	01/20/2000 <u>(*)</u>		Г	162.3	A	11.5195	21,023.3	D			
Common	04/20/2006(2)		P	275 /11	٨	\$	27,998.711	D			
Stock	04/20/2000 <u>~</u>		Г	3/3.411	A	\$ 11.8491	21,990.711	D			

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				C + V	(A) (D)						
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

10% Owner Officer Other Director

Mitchem Dennis E 14631 N. SCOTTSDALE ROAD, SUITE 200 X SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85254

Signatures

/s/ Michael T. Bennett, as 07/27/2006 attorney-in-fact

> **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).
- The reporting person is amending the Form 4 originally filed to report this transaction related to an automatic dividend reinvestment for (1) the purpose of correcting the date of the transaction, which occurred on January 20, 2006, not the dividend payment date of January 25,
- The reporting person is amending the Form 4 originally filed to report this transaction related to an automatic dividend reinvestment for the purpose of correcting the date of the transaction, which occurred on April 20, 2006, not the dividend payment date of April 25, 2006.

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