#### CAPITAL LEASE FUNDING INC

Form 4

March 27, 2006

# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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Common

Common

Stock

Stock

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

SEALE SI		Symbol CAPITAL LEASE FUNDING INC [LSE]						(Check all applicable)					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	(Month/	Day/Yea		Transaction			Director _X_ Officer below)	_ 10% Owner _ Other (specify w)			
110 MAIL	EN LANE		03/24/2006						SVP,Chief Financial Officer				
		4. If Amendment, Date Original						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check					
NEW YOR		Filed(Month/Day/Year)						Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										eficially Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			3. Transa Code (Instr. 3		4. Securities Acquired tion(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or			Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	03/24/2006			Code A	V	Amount 43,500 (1)	(D) A	Price \$ 0	(Instr. 3 and 4) 225,548	D			
Common Stock									6,604	I	By 401(k) Plan		

By Spouse (2)

Father-in-law

Mother-in-law

By

and

(2)

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	٩
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Date		Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	ying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e			ties	(Instr. 5)	]
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					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
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						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Number		
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

SEALE SHAWN P 110 MAIDEN LANE NEW YORK, NY 10005

SVP, Chief Financial Officer

## **Signatures**

/s/ Shawn P. 03/24/2006 Seale

\*\*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).

Stock grant under the company's stock plan, which is a Rule 16b-3 plan. 13,500 shares are scheduled to vest in three equal annual installments beginning on March 24, 2007, with any unvested portion generally being forfeited if the reporting person terminates his employment with the issuer prior to the vesting date. The remaining 30,000 shares are scheduled to vest through March 24, 2009, if performance criteria determined by the Compensation Committee are met. One-third of the 30,000 shares are available for vesting

annually beginning on March 24, 2007, provided that shares which fail to vest will accumulate and not be forfeited but will be available for vesting in subsequent years through March 24, 2009, at which time all unvested shares will be forfeited. All unvested shares will generally be forfeited if the reporting person terminates his employment with the issuer prior to the vesting date. The restricted stock awards have voting and dividend rights until forfeited.

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(2) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.

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