Easom John Form 4 April 04, 2007

FORM 4

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

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may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Easom John

> (First) (Middle)

C/O VITAL SIGNS, INC., 20

CAMPUS ROAD

(Street)

TOTOWA, NJ 07515

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

VITAL SIGNS INC [VITL]

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

04/02/2007

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

EVP - Global Business Dev.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3.

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

5. Amount of Securities Owned Following

Beneficially Reported

Transaction(s)

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I)

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership

(Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8. l Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/ [*]	Year) (Instr.	(A) Disj (D) (Ins	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
			Code	V (2	A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 52.1	04/02/2007	A	5,0	000	<u>(1)</u>	04/02/2017	Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Easom John			EVP -			
C/O VITAL SIGNS, INC.			Global			
20 CAMPUS ROAD			Business			
TOTOWA, NJ 07515			Dev.			

Signatures

John Easom; By: /s/ Laura R. Kuntz, Esq., Attorney-In-Fact 04/03/2007

**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).
- (1) (1) These options vest in 25% installments beginning one year from the date of grant.

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