

NEXTEL PARTNERS INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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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)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
AAS DAVID C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

4500 CARILLON POINT

(Street)

KIRKLAND, WA 98033

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

NEXTEL PARTNERS INC [NXTP]

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

05/18/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Vice President and CTO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Class A Common Stock	05/18/2005		S ⁽¹⁾	5,000 D	\$ 24 809,400	D	
Class A Common Stock	05/18/2005		S ⁽¹⁾	1,000 D	\$ 23.92 808,400	D	
Class A Common Stock	05/18/2005		S ⁽¹⁾	1,800 D	\$ 23.91 806,600	D	
Class A Common	05/18/2005		S ⁽¹⁾	8,100 D	\$ 23.9 798,500	D	

Stock

Class A Common Stock	05/18/2005	S ⁽¹⁾	100	D	\$ 23.86	798,400	D
Class A Common Stock	05/18/2005	S ⁽¹⁾	4,900	D	\$ 23.85	793,500	D
Class A Common Stock	05/18/2005	S ⁽¹⁾	4,100	D	\$ 23.8	789,400 ⁽²⁾	D ⁽³⁾

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 Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
AAS DAVID C 4500 CARILLON POINT KIRKLAND, WA 98033			Vice President and CTO	

Signatures

/s/ Donald J. Manning, Attorney-in-Fact for David Aas 05/19/2005

__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) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 4, 2005.
- (2) The Reporting Person sold an aggregate of 25,000 shares on May 18, 2005 in multiple transactions at varying prices.
The Reporting Person is party to an amended and restated shareholders' agreement dated as of February 18, 2000, as amended, among certain stockholders and as such may be part of a "group" for purposes of Section 16, whose members hold collectively more than 10% of the Issuer's capital stock. The Reporting Person disclaims any beneficial ownership of the shares held by the other parties to such agreement.
- (3)

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