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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

Security

(Instr. 3)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person **
MULDER JOHN A

(First)

15816 WINDING CREEK COURT

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issue

GENTEX CORP [GNTX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/11/2006

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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Person

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

NORTHVILLE, MI 48168

(City) (State) (Zip)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed
(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if
any
(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

3. 4. Securities
if TransactionAcquired (A) or
Code Disposed of (D)
ar) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

or

Code V Amount (D) Price

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s)
(Instr. 3 and 4)

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

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

3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) 4. 5. Number
Transaction Derivative
Code Securities
(Instr. 8) Acquired

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

7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4) Edgar Filing: GENTEX CORP - Form 4

Derivative Security

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

Code V (A) (D) Date Exercisable Expiration Date

Title

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or

Non-Employee

Director Stock Option Grant

\$ 14.76 05/11/2006 05/11/2006

A 6,000

11/11/2006 05/11/2016

Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MULDER JOHN A X 15816 WINDING CREEK COURT NORTHVILLE, MI 48168

Signatures

/s/ Steven A. Dykman Steven A. Dykman for John A. Mulder by Power of Attorney

05/12/2006

**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).

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