#### VITAL IMAGES INC

Form 4

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## FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ARGIRO VINCENT J			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol VITAL IMAGES INC [VTAL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
3300 FERNBROOK LANE N, SUITE 200		ΙΈ	(Month/Day/Year) 03/07/2005	X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) CTO		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Cho		
PLYMOUTH,	MN 55447		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	(A) or	d of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock (1)	03/07/2005		M	5,000	A		568,543 (2)	D	
Common Stock (1)	03/07/2009		S	5,000	D	\$ 14.79	563,543 (2)	D	

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$ 4.75	03/07/2009		M	5,000	05/12/1999	05/12/2007	Common Stock	5,000

# **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
ARGIRO VINCENT J 3300 FERNBROOK LANE N SUITE 200 PLYMOUTH, MN 55447	X		СТО			

## **Signatures**

Vincent Argiro	03/09/2005		
**Signature of	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) Transaction made pursuant to plan adopted under Rule 10b5-1.
- (2) Mr. Argiro disclaims beneficial ownership of an additional 109,550 Vital Images, Inc. shares owned by his spouse.

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