

INGLES MARKETS INC  
 Form 4  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 INGLE ROBERT P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 INGLES MARKETS INC [IMKTA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 2913 US HIGHWAY 70 WEST

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/28/2006

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 Chairman and CEO / Profit Sharing Plan Trustee

(Street)  
 BLACK MOUNTAIN, NC 28711

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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 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)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Class A Common Stock	02/28/2006		J <sup>(1)</sup>	37,500 A \$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>	39,778	I	By Employee Benefit Plan Trust
Class A Common Stock					80,000	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. 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. Pr Deri Secu (Inst	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Class B Common Stock	(2)	02/28/2006		J(1)	37,500	(3)	(4)	Class A Common Stock	(2)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
INGLE ROBERT P 2913 US HIGHWAY 70 WEST BLACK MOUNTAIN, NC 28711	X		Chairman and CEO	Profit Sharing Plan Trustee

## Signatures

Ronald B.  
Freeman/Attorney-in-Fact  
Date: 02/28/2006

\*\*Signature of 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).
- The reported transactions constitute a conversion of shares of Class B Common Stock into Class A Common Stock by the Ingles Markets, Incorporated Investment/Profit Sharing Plan (the "Plan"). The number of shares reported as beneficially owned reflect the total number of shares owned by the Plan for the benefit of all Plan participants. The reporting person is a trustee of the Plan. The reporting person
- (1) disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
  - (2) Class B Common Stock may be converted to Class A Common Stock at the option of the holder on a 1-for-1 basis with no additional consideration being paid or received.

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(3) Exercisable immediately

(4) None

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