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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)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 402 CAPITAL LLC		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SPARK NETWORKS INC [LOV]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Lost)	(First) (I	Middle)				(Check all applicable)					
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month (Day (Year))					_X_ Director 10% Owner			
5015 UNDERWOOD AVENUE			(Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2016					Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			
OMAHA, NE 68132								Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)											
Table 1 - Ivon-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Deficiently Owned											
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)		on Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securi		or	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3) Executive any			Code Disposed of (D)			Beneficially (D) or		Beneficial			
		(Month/	Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership			
								Following Reported	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
						(A)		Transaction(s)			
				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
C						()				By Ian V.	
Common	12/31/2016			M	5,983	A	<u>(1)</u>	60,146	I	Jacobs	
Stock										directly	
C										By 402	
Common Stock								1,215,950	I	Fund, LP	
SIOCK										(2) (3) (4)	
C										By SCA	
Common Stock								1,432,838	I	Partners,	
DIOCK										I D (2) (3) (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 Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number to for Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	of Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. F Der Sec (Ins
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	12/31/2016		M	5,983	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	5,983	

Reporting Owners

Relationships						
Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
X						
X						
	X	Director 10% Owner X	Director 10% Owner Officer X			

Signatures

/s/ Ian V. Jacobs, Managing Member of 402 Capital, LLC	01/04/2017		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		
/s/ Ian V. Jacobs	01/04/2017		
**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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- (1) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Spark Networks, Inc.'s ("Issuer") common stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the "Common Stock").
- The filing of this Form 4 shall not be construed as an admission that Mr. Jacobs, the managing member of 402 Capital, LLC ("402 Capital"), or 402 Capital, is or was for the purposes of Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the beneficial owner of any of the shares of Common Stock, owned by 402 Fund, LP (the "Fund") or SCA Partners, LP ("SCA").
 - As previously reported on the reporting persons' Form 3 and Form 4s with respect to the Issuer, (i) the Fund holds 1,215,950 shares of Common Stock, and 402 Capital and Mr. Jacobs report the shares held by the Fund because as the investment manager of the Fund, and the managing member of 402 Capital, respectively, they control the disposition and voting of the securities, and (ii) SCA holds
- (3) 1,432,838 shares of Common Stock, and 402 Capital controls the voting and disposition of the Common Stock held by SCA, of which 402 Capital is the investment manager. An affiliate of 402 Capital, for which Mr. Jacobs is the managing member, serves as the general partner of SCA and receives an allocation of net profits from SCA. Mr. Jacobs reports the shares held indirectly by 402 Capital because, as the managing member of 402 Capital at the time of purchase, Mr. Jacobs controlled the disposition and voting of the securities.
- (4) Pursuant to Rule 16a-1, each of Mr. Jacobs and 402 Capital disclaims beneficial ownership except to the extent of their respective pecuniary interests.
 - These shares represent a grant of restricted stock units under the Company's 2007 Omnibus Incentive Plan on July 25, 2016. This grant was made in lieu of cash fees for non-employee director service on the Company's board of directors for the third and fourth quarters of
- (5) 2016. Fifty percent (50%) of the restricted stock units subject to the award vest at the end of the third quarter on September 30, 2016, and the remaining fifty percent (50%) vest at the end of the fourth quarter on December 31, 2016, subject to the reporting person's continuous service as a director.
- (6) Not applicable.

Remarks:

For purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Reporting Person may be deemed to be a Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.