VAN KAMPEN SENIOR INCOME TRUST Form 3 June 23, 2006 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> HEAGY LINDA HUTTON	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VAN KAMPEN SENIOR INCOME TRUST [VVR]			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	06/23/2006	4. Relationship of l Person(s) to Issuer	r	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
STRUGGLES, 233 SOUTH WACKER DR. (Street)		(Check all an Director Officer (give title below) (s	applicable) 10% Ow Other specify below)	6. Individual or Joint/Group	
CHICAGO, IL 60606			specify cerein)	Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivative S	Securities	Beneficially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)	Owned Ow For Dire or I (I)	vnership O	Nature of Indirect Beneficial wnership nstr. 5)	
common shares	0		D Â	`	
preferred shares	0		D Â		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
Security	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying		- · · · · ·	Beneficial
(Instr. 4)	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership

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			(Instr. 4)		Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
phantom stock units (1)	08/08/1988	08/08/1988	common shares ⁽¹⁾	39,910.503	\$ 0 <u>(2)</u>	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HEAGY LINDA HUTTON HEIDRICK & STRUGGLES 233 SOUTH WACKER DR. CHICAGO, IL 60606		ÂX	Â	Â	Â		
Signatures							
/s/ Linda Hutton Heagy	06/2	3/2006					
<u>**</u> Signature of		Date					

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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 phantom stock units were accrued under the VVR directors' deferred compensation plan and are to be settled 100% in cash, in (1) generally equal annual installments over a period of five (5) years beginning on the date of the Director's retirement or disability, except
- that the Board of Directors, in its sole discretion, may accelerate or extend the distribution.
- (2) 1 for 1

Reporting Person

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