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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Osmium Partners, LLC</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 300 DRAKES LANDING ROAD SUITE 172 (Street) GREENBRAE CA 94904 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SPARK NETWORKS INC [LOV]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/23/2017	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	08/23/2017		P		175,000	A	\$1.2866 ⁽¹⁾	1,905,115	I	By Osmium Capital, LP ⁽²⁾
Common Stock	08/23/2017		P		65,000	A	\$1.2866 ⁽¹⁾	481,144	I	By Osmium Spartan, LP ⁽²⁾
Common Stock	08/23/2017		P		78,041	A	\$1.2866 ⁽¹⁾	360,441	I	By Osmium Diamond, LP ⁽²⁾
Common Stock	08/24/2017		P		60,000	A	\$1.2927 ⁽³⁾	1,965,115	I	By Osmium Capital, LP ⁽²⁾
Common Stock	08/24/2017		P		20,000	A	\$1.2927 ⁽³⁾	501,144	I	By Osmium Spartan, LP ⁽²⁾
Common Stock	08/24/2017		P		22,448	A	\$1.2927 ⁽³⁾	382,889	I	By Osmium Diamond, LP ⁽²⁾
Common Stock	08/25/2017		P		18,000	A	\$1.2719 ⁽⁴⁾	1,983,115	I	By Osmium Capital, LP ⁽²⁾
Common Stock	08/25/2017		P		6,000	A	\$1.2719 ⁽⁴⁾	507,144	I	By Osmium Spartan, LP ⁽²⁾
Common Stock	08/25/2017		P		6,000	A	\$1.2719 ⁽⁴⁾	388,889	I	By Osmium Diamond, LP ⁽²⁾

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			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock								1,197,699	I	By Osmium Capital II, LP ⁽²⁾
Common Stock								113,799	I	By John H. Lewis directly ⁽²⁾

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

[Osmium Partners, LLC](#)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

300 DRAKES LANDING ROAD
SUITE 172

(Street)

GREENBRAE CA 94904

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

[Lewis John Hartnett](#)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

300 DRAKES LANDING ROAD
SUITE 172

(Street)

GREENBRAE CA 94904

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*		
OSMIUM CAPITAL LP		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)
300 DRAKES LANDING ROAD SUITE 172		
(Street)		
GREENBRAE	CA	94904
(City) (State) (Zip)		
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*		
Osmium Capital II, LP		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)
300 DRAKES LANDING ROAD SUITE 172		
(Street)		
GREENBRAE	CA	94904
(City) (State) (Zip)		
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*		
OSMIUM SPARTAN LP		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)
300 DRAKES LANDING ROAD SUITE 172		
(Street)		
GREENBRAE	CA	94904
(City) (State) (Zip)		
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*		
Osmium Diamond, LP		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)
300 DRAKES LANDING ROAD SUITE 172		
(Street)		
GREENBRAE	CA	94904
(City) (State) (Zip)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. The price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The prices actually paid ranged from \$1.165 to \$1.45 per share. The reporting person will provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares purchased at each price within the range.
2. The general partner of Osmium Capital, LP, Osmium Capital II, LP, Osmium Spartan, LP and Osmium Diamond, LP is Osmium Partners, LLC. John H. Lewis is the controlling member of Osmium Partners, LLC, and Mr. Lewis may be deemed to have voting and dispositive power with respect to the shares held by Osmium Capital, LP, Osmium Capital II, LP, Osmium Spartan, LP and Osmium Diamond, LP. Mr. Lewis disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that Mr. Lewis is the beneficial owner of the shares for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 or for any other purpose.
3. The price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The prices actually paid ranged from \$1.23 to \$1.30 per share. The reporting person will provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares purchased at each price within the range.
4. The price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The prices actually paid ranged from \$1.26 to \$1.34 per share. The reporting person will provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares purchased at each price within the range.

Remarks:

For purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Reporting Person may be deemed to be a director by deputization due to Mr. Lewis serving as a member of the board of directors of the Issuer.

/s/ John H. Lewis,
individually, and as
Managing Member of Osmium
Partners, LLC, for itself and as 08/25/2017
General Partner of Osmium
Capital, LP, Osmium Capital
II, LP, Osmium Spartan, LP
and Osmium Diamond, LP

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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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