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#### INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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I. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MERCHANT CHARLES H	Statement (Month/Day/Year) 12/01/2005			3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NOVASTAR RESOURCES LTD. [NVAS]			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3189 COUNTY ROAD 10			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)  _X_ Director		\ /	5. If Amendment, Date Original     Filed(Month/Day/Year)      6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
(Street)					Applicable I  X Form fi		
HEFLIN, AL 36264					Form fil		
(City) (State) (Zip)		Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned					
I.Title of Security Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)		ned		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Common shares 1,960,000		960,000		D			
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.  Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.  Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)							
Instr. 4)			Security	mount of derlying Derivative	or Exercise Fo Price of De Derivative Se	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable Da	xpiration ate	Title Amoun	t or Number of	Security	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	

# **Reporting Owners**

Deporting Owner Name /	Relationships			
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MERCHANT CHARLES H 3189 COUNTY ROAD 10 HEFLIN, AL 36264	X		COO and Interim CEO	

## **Signatures**

/s/ Charles H. Merchant	03/15/2006
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
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