HALLMAN THOMAS B

Form 5

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Transactions Reported

| 1. Name and Ad HALLMAN | * | - | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CIT GROUP INC [CIT] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | |
|---|----------|----------|---|---|-----------|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended | | | |
| | | | (Month/Day/Year) | | 10% Owner | |
| C/O CIT GROUP INC., 1 CIT DRIVE, #3213 | | | 12/31/2006 | _X_ Officer (give title below) bel Vice Chairman, S | ow) | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line) | | |
| | | | | | | |

LIVINGSTON, NJÂ 07039

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| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | y 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 at end of Issuer's Fiscal | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Year (Instr. 3 and 4) | (I) (Instr. 4) | (msu. 4) |
| Common Stock | 02/28/2006 | Â | J4 <u>(1)</u> | 5.7217 | A | \$ 53.43 | 94,209.2634 | D | Â |
| Common Stock | 05/30/2006 | Â | J4 <u>(1)</u> | 5.9955 | A | \$ 51.18 | 94,215.2589 | D | Â |
| Common Stock | 08/30/2006 | Â | J4 <u>(1)</u> | 6.9085 | A | \$ 44.59 | 94,222.1674 | D | Â |
| Common Stock | 11/30/2006 | Â | J4 <u>(1)</u> | 5.9736 | A | \$ 51.8 | 94,228.141 | D | Â |

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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 | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative | 6. Date Exerc Expiration Day/ (Month/Day/ | ate | 7. Title Amount Underly Securities | t of ying | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|--------------------|------------------------------------|--------------|--|--|
| | Derivative Security | | | Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | (Instr. 3 | 3 and 4) | | |
| | | | | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title N | Number | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|--|--|
| • 0 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| HALLMAN THOMAS B C/O CIT GROUP INC. 1 CIT DRIVE, #3213 LIVINGSTON, NJ 07039 | Â | Â | Vice Chairman, Specialty Fin. | Â | | |

Signatures

/s/ James P. Shanahan, attorney-in-fact for Mr.
Hallman 02/14/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
- (1) Shares acquired through reinvestment of dividends on securities purchased through CIT Group Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan, which transaction is exempt under Rule 16b-3(c) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

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