CIT GROUP INC

Form 3

FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549					PPROVAL		
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INITIAL S	INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES				Expires:	January 31, 2005	
Section 17(a) of t	to Section 16(a) of the he Public Utility Holdi (h) of the Investment C	Securities E	y Act of 193		Estimated a burden hou response m	irs per	
(Print or Type Responses)							
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> McDonald James S (Last) (First) (Middle)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 10/17/2007	<ul> <li>g 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Syn CIT GROUP INC [CIT]</li> <li>4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If A</li> </ul>				Date Original	
		Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
C/O CIT GROUP, CHIEF COMPLIANCE OFFICER, 1 CIT DRIVE		(Check	all applicable)				
(Street)		(give title below) (specify below) Filing			lividual or Joint/Group (Check Applicable Line) orm filed by One Reporting		
LIVINGSTON, NJ 07039					on Form filed by Mo orting Person	re than One	
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Deriva	tive Securiti	ies Benefic	cially Owned	1	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature o Ownership (Instr. 5)	f Indirect Benef	ficial	
Common Stock	0		D	Â			
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each owned directly or indirectly.	ch class of securities benefic	ially S	SEC 1473 (7-02	2)			
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Table II - Derivative Secur	ities Beneficially Owned (e	.g., puts, calls	, warrants, op	tions, conver	tible securities	5)	

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

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Date	Expiration	Title	Amount or	Security	Direct (D)
Exercisable	Date		Number of		or Indirect
			Shares		(I)
					(Instr. 5)

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships				
		10% Owner	Officer	Other		
McDonald James S C/O CIT GROUP, CHIEF COMPLIANCE OFFICER 1 CIT DRIVE LIVINGSTON, NJ 07039	ÂX	Â	Â	Â		
Signatures						
James P. Shanahan, Attorney-in-Fact for Mr. McDonald	10/25/2007					
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date				
Explanation of Responses:						

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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

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