#### CIT GROUP INC

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### FORM 3

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

DALY JOHN F

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Statement (Month/Day/Year)

05/08/2007

CIT GROUP INC [CIT]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

President, Trade Finance

5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

C/O CIT GROUP, 11 WEST **42ND STREET** 

(Street)

(State)

Director \_X\_\_ Officer (give title below) (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Other

Filing(Check Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NYÂ 10036

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

(City)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

Ownership Form: Direct (D)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

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(Instr. 5)

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Common Stock 13,841

(Zip)

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 Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying **Derivative Security** (Instr. 4)

Conversion Ownership or Exercise Form of Price of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 5)

Date Exercisable

Title

Derivative Security: Direct (D) Security

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		Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Option (Right to Buy)	(1)(2)	01/17/2014	Common Stock	4,445	\$ 56.54	D	Â
Option (Right to Buy)	(1)(3)	07/19/2013	Common Stock	8,000	\$ 47.28	D	Â
Option (Right to Buy)	(1)(4)	01/18/2013	Common Stock	7,059	\$ 51.43	D	Â
Option (Right to Buy)	(1)(5)	07/19/2015	Common Stock	25,000	\$ 43.01	D	Â
Option (Right to Buy)	$\hat{A} = \frac{(1)(6)}{}$	01/18/2015	Common Stock	25,000	\$ 41.89	D	Â
Option (Right to Buy)	07/21/2007(7)	07/21/2014	Common Stock	33,334	\$ 37.6	D	Â
Option (Right to Buy)	01/21/2007(8)	01/21/2014	Common Stock	11,667	\$ 39.22	D	Â
Option (Right to Buy) (9) (11) (12)	07/02/2002(10)	03/05/2009	Common Stock	8,258	\$ 74.4731	D	Â
Option (Right to Buy) (9) (12) (13)	07/02/2002(10)	11/19/2008	Common Stock	4,542	\$ 70.2409	D	Â

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Othe		
DALY JOHN F						
C/O CIT GROUP	â	Â	President, Trade Finance	â		
11 WEST 42ND STREET	А	А	A Tresident, Trade Pinance	А		
NEW YORK Â NYÂ 10036						

# **Signatures**

/s/ James P. Shanahan, attorney-in-fact for Mr. Daly 05/16/2007

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) Options vest in increments of 1/3 per year on the anniversary of the grant date for a period of 3 years.
- (2) Options granted 1/17/2007.
- (3) Options granted 7/19/2006.
- (4) Options granted 1/18/2006.

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- (5) Options granted 7/19/2005.
- (6) Options granted 1/18/2005.
- (7) Options fully vest on 7/21/2007.
- (8) Options fully vested on 1/21/2007.
- Due to CIT?s IPO, Tyco options were cancelled by Tyco and replaced by CIT on 7//2/2002 with CIT options vesting under the same schedule as the Tyco options. The Tyco to CIT conversion formula is disclosed in CIT Group Inc. Prospectus dated 7/1/02 ?Management? Treatment of Tyco Options and Tyco Restricted Shares Held by CIT Employees?.
- (10) Options were fully vested on 7/2/2002.
- (11) Options granted by The CIT Group, Inc. on 3/5/1999.
- (12) CIT options converted on 6/1/2001 into options of Tyco International Ltd. at the rate of .6907 Tyco option for 1 CIT option upon Tyco's acquisition of CIT.
- (13) Options granted by The CIT Group, Inc. on 11/19/1998.

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