McPhail Kenneth Form 4 September 06, 2017

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * McPhail Kenneth			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CIT GROUP INC [CIT]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
C/O CIT GROUPINC., 11 WEST 42ND STREET		WEST	(Month/Day/Year) 09/01/2017	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP, Chief Strategy Officer			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
NEW YORK, NY 10036			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative Sec	urities	Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Approximately Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and Amount	of (D) d 5) (A) or	ed (A)	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)
Common Stock	09/01/2017		A(1)	5,857.649	A	<u>(2)</u>	5,857.649	D	
Common Stock	09/01/2017		A(3)	4,420.867	A	<u>(2)</u>	10,278.516	D	

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

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				Code V	(A) (D)			S	hares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

McPhail Kenneth C/O CIT GROUPINC. 11 WEST 42ND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10036

EVP, Chief Strategy Officer

Signatures

/s/ Eric S. Mandelbaum, attorney-in-fact for Mr. **McPhail**

09/06/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- 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).
- Performance Based Restricted Stock Units ("PBRSU") are scheduled to settle 100% in stock and vest 70% on June 15, 2019 and 30% on (1) June 15, 2020, subject to a performance based vesting hurdle (minimum Common Equity Tier 1 for well-capitalized Banks as established by the Federal Reserve Board).
- (2) Each performance based restricted stock unit has the economic equivalent of one share of CIT common stock.
- Performance Based Restricted Stock Units ("PBRSU") are scheduled to settle 100% in stock and vest one-third on September 1, 2018 and (3) 1/3 per year in March 15, 2019 and 2020, subject to a performance based vesting hurdle (minimum Common Equity Tier 1 for well-capitalized Banks as established by the Federal Reserve Board).

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