CIRCUIT CITY STORES INC

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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 * BYRD CAROLYN H | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | |
|--|---|---------|---|--|--|--|--|---|--|
| (Last) 9950 MAYI | (First) (N | Middle) | 07/17/2006 | | | _X_ Director | k all applicable title 10% below) | Owner | |
| RICHMON | (Street) D, VA 23233 | | | ndment, Da th/Day/Year) | Č | 6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by C Form filed by M Person | one Reporting Per | rson | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table | e I - Non-D | erivative Securities Acq | | , or Beneficiall | y Owned | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | Date, if | 3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |

or

Price

Circuit City

Stores, Inc. $122 \frac{(1)}{24.56}$ A $\frac{\$}{24.56}$ 07/17/2006 1,161 D A Common

Stock

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

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(Instr. 3 and 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Code V Amount (D)

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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|---|---|--|--|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Restricted Stock Units (2006 Award) | (2) | 07/17/2006 | | A | 2.6507 | 06/27/2007(3) | (3) | Common Stock | 2.6507 |
| Restricted Stock Units (2005 Award) | <u>(2)</u> | 07/17/2006 | | A | 2.2943 | (3)(5) | (3) | Common Stock | 2.2943 |
| Restricted Stock Units (2004 Award) | <u>(2)</u> | 07/17/2006 | | A | 1.1136 | (3)(4) | <u>(3)</u> | Common Stock | 1.1136 |
| Phantom Stock | <u>(2)</u> | 07/17/2006 | | A | 9.2431 | (3) | (3) | Common Stock | 9.2431 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| • | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| BYRD CAROLYN H 9950 MAYLAND DRIVE RICHMOND, VA 23233 | X | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Alice G. Givens, Attorney o7/19/2006 in Fact

**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).
- (1) The director has elected to receive a stock grant in lieu of retainer, meeting fees or other cash compensation to which he or she would otherwise be entitled. The number of shares under the stock grant is equal to the amount of fees otherwise payable to the director divided

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by the fair market value of the Company's common stock on the payment date, rounded to the nearest whole share. The director is not permitted to sell or transfer the underlying shares of stock received until he or she ceases to be a director of the Company.

- (2) 1 for 1
 - This director has elected to defer payment under the Restricted Stock Unit Deferral Program (the "Program") of the restricted stock units issued under the Circuit City Stores, Inc. 2000 Non-Employee Director Stock Incentive Plan. Vested deferred shares are held as "phantom
- (3) stock" in a phantom stock account. Dividends on vested and unvested shares will be reinvested until distributions are made. The shares underlying the phantom stock units in the director's account will be distributed to the director when he or she ceases to serve as a director of the company.
- (4) The Units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on June 15, 2005.
- (5) The Units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on June 21, 2006.

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