CIRCUIT CITY STORES INC

Form 4

March 02, 2006

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Schoonover Philip J | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CIRCUIT CITY STORES INC [CC] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | | | |
| 9950 MAYLAI | ND DRIVE | | (Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2006 | X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) President and CEO | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| RICHMOND, | VA 23233 | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |

| | (City) | (State) (Zi | (p) Table | I - Non-D |)er | ivative Se | curitio | es Acqu | iired, Disposed of | f, or Beneficial | ly Owned |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|------------------|----------|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | Circuit City | | | Code ' | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | (Instr. 4) | |
| | Stores, Inc. common stock | 02/28/2006 | | D <u>(1)</u> | | 50,000 | D | \$0 | 205,000 | D | |
| | Circuit City Stores, Inc. Common Stock (Restricted Stock) | 03/01/2006 | | A | | 15,000 | A | \$0 | 220,000 | D | |
| | Circuit City Stores, Inc. | 03/01/2006 | | A | | 15,000 | A | \$0 | 235,000 | D | |

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Common Stock (Restricted Stock)

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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | TransactionDerivative Code Securities | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amour Number Shares | |
| Employee Stock Option | \$ 23.845 | 03/01/2006 | | A | 1,000,000 | (2) | 03/01/2016 | Common Stock | 1,000 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Kelationships | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| • | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| Schoonover Philip J | | | | | | | |
| 9950 MAYLAND DRIVE | X | | President and CEO | | | | |
| RICHMOND, VA 23233 | | | | | | | |

Signatures

By: /s/ Alice G. Givens, Attorney-in-fact

03/02/2006

**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) Forfeiture of performance-based restricted stock under the "Turnaround Shares" program.
- (2) The options will become exercisable in three equal installments on each of the third, fourth and fifth anniversaries of the grant date.
- (3) Employee stock option grant.

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