#### JAMES RIVER GROUP, INC

Form 4

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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).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **ZECH JAMES L** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

below)

JAMES RIVER GROUP, INC

[JRVR]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

11/30/2006

\_X\_\_ Director Officer (give title

X\_\_ 10% Owner \_ Other (specify

300 MEADOWMONT VILLAGE

(Street)

CIRCLE, SUITE 333

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

CHAPEL HILL, NC 27517

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ble I - Non	-Derivati	ve Sec	urities Ac	equired, Dispose	d of, or Benef	icially 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. Securon(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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, par value \$0.01 per share	11/30/2006		S	1,530	D	\$ 34 (1)	153,470	I	By Northaven Management, Inc. (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/30/2006		S	541	D	\$ 33.95 (1)	152,929	I	By Northaven Management, Inc. (1)
	11/30/2006		S	2,100	D		150,829	I	

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share					\$ 33.9 (1)			By Northaven Management, Inc. (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/30/2006	S	100	D	\$ 33.88 (1)	150,729	I	By Northaven Management, Inc. (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/30/2006	S	543	D	\$ 33.86 (1)	150,186	I	By Northaven Management, Inc. (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/30/2006	S	8,163	D	\$ 33.85 (1)	142,023	I	By Northaven Management, Inc. (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/30/2006	S	500	D	\$ 33.83 (1)	141,523	I	By Northaven Management, Inc. (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/30/2006	S	5,557	D	\$ 33.82 (1)	135,966	I	By Northaven Management, Inc. (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/30/2006	S	150	D	\$ 33.81 (1)	135,816	I	By Northaven Management, Inc. (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/30/2006	S	1,762	D	\$ 33.8 (1)	134,054	I	By Northaven Management, Inc. (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/30/2006	S	43	D	\$ 33.75 (1)	134,011	I	By Northaven Management, Inc. (1)
	11/30/2006	S	50	D		133,961	I	

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share					\$ 33.69 (1)			By Northaven Management, Inc. (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/30/2006	S	299	D	\$ 33.65 (1)	133,662	I	By Northaven Management, Inc. (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/30/2006	S	100	D	\$ 33.64 (1)	133,562	I	By Northaven Management, Inc. (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/30/2006	S	912	D	\$ 33.6 (1)	132,650	I	By Northaven Management, Inc. (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/30/2006	S	350	D	\$ 33.59 (1)	132,300	I	By Northaven Management, Inc. (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share						129,960	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share						276,753	I	By High Ridge Capital Partners II, L.P.
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share						1,883,590	I	By HRWCP I, L.P.

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1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amount		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	(Month/Day/		Underly Securiti (Instr. 3	ying ies	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
corporating of the comment of the comment	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
ZECH JAMES L 300 MEADOWMONT VILLAGE CIRCLE SUITE 333 CHAPEL HILL, NC 27517	X	X				

## **Signatures**

/s/ E. Caperton Lauver, 12/04/2006 Attorney-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).

The shares of common stock are held for the accounts of four private investment funds for which Northaven Management, Inc. acts as the (1) investment manager. Mr. Zech is an executive employee of Northaven Management, Inc. and acquired a profit participation interest in Northaven Management, Inc. commencing on January 1, 2006.

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