Fortress Investment Group LLC Form 4

March 20, 2008

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

(Street)

Brooks David

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Fortress Investment Group LLC

[FIG]

(Middle)

(Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

12/21/2007

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

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(Instr. 3)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

VP, Gen Counsel & Secretary

Applicable Line)

Director

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

NEW YORK, NY 10105

(State) (Zip) (City) 1. Title of

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Month/Day/Year)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

or

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 Conversion 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactiorDerivative

5. Number of

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount 8. Price of Underlying

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8			(Month/Day/Year)		Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		Securi (Instr.	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Share Units	\$ 0	12/21/2007		<u>J(1)</u>		29,412		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Class A Shares	29,412	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Brooks David 1345 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10105

VP, Gen Counsel & Secretary

Signatures

/s/ David Brooks 03/19/2008

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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 Restricted Share Units vest and restrictions will lapse in four equal annual installments beginning January 1, 2010.
- (2) Each Restricted Share Unit represents a contingent right to receive, at the Issuer's option, either (i) one Class A share of the Issuer (a "Class A Share") or (ii) an amount of cash equal to the fair market value of one Class A Share upon the date of such vesting.

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