Small Cap Premium & Dividend Income Fund, Inc.

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement Small Cap Premium & Dividend Income Fund, Inc. Ferri Justin (Month/Day/Year) [RCC] 07/26/2005 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 800 SCUDDERS MILL (Check all applicable) ROAD.Â (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Director 10% Owner Officer __X__ Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _ Form filed by One Reporting VP PLAINSBORO, ÂNJÂ 08536 _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (City) (State) (Zip) 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Ownership (Instr. 4) Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D)

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

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or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/Year)	ate	3. Title and Securities U	Inderlying	4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	

(I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
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Ferri Justin 800 SCUDDERS MILL ROAD PLAINSBORO, NJ 08536	Â	Â	Â	VP			
BATKIN ALAN R 350 PARK AVENUE 26TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	ÂX	Â	Â	Â			
Verage Thomas 800 SCUDDERS MILL ROAD PLAINSBORO, NJ 08536	Â	Â	Managing Director & Head of EQ	Â			
Signatures							
Catherine Johnston, Power of Attorney		07/26/200	5				

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

**Signature of Reporting Person

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).

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