CIRCUIT CITY STORES INC

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

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SALOVAARA MIKAEL

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

CIRCUIT CITY STORES INC [CC]

(Check all applicable)

9950 MAYLAND DRIVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

04/15/2005

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Instr. 8)

Applicable Line)

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

Person

below)

Issuer

RICHMOND, VA 23233

(State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

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

Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Reported Transaction(s)

Following

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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)

4.

(Instr. 8)

1. Title of Derivative Conversion Security or Exercise (Instr. 3) Price of

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

Acquired (A)

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8. 1 **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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	Derivative Security			or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
			Code	V (A)	(D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units (2004 Award)	Ш	04/15/2005	A	5.223	(2)(4)	(2)	Common Stock	5.223	\$
Restricted Stock Units (2003 Award)	(1)	04/15/2005	A	6.1189	(2)(3)	(2)	Common Stock	6.1189	\$
Phantom Stock	(1)	04/15/2005	A	3.0599	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	3.0599	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting owner reduces	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SALOVAARA MIKAEL 9950 MAYLAND DRIVE RICHMOND, VA 23233	X					

Signatures

Alice G. Givens, Attorney 04/19/2005 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)** 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
- (2) 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.
- (3) The Units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on June 17, 2004.
- (4) The Units vest in three equal annual installements beginning on June 15, 2005.

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