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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Â Brooks David  
(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)  
02/13/2007

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Fortress Investment Group LLC [FIG]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer  Other  
(give title below) (specify below)  
VP, Gen Counsel & Secretary

C/O FORTRESS INVESTMENT GROUP LLC,Â 1345 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS 46TH FLOOR

(Street)

NEW YORK,Â NYÂ 10105

(City) (State) (Zip)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Class A Shares

15,000

D Â

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

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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 Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security

4. Conversion or Exercise

5. Ownership Form of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

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|                        | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | (Instr. 4)         | Amount or Number of Shares | Price of Derivative Security | Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) |   |
|------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|--|---|
|                        |                  |                 | Title              |                            |                              |  |   |
| Restricted Share Units | Â (1)            | Â (1)           | Class A Shares (2) | 285,715                    | \$ (2)                       | D  | Â |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                               |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                       | Other |
| Brooks David<br>C/O FORTRESS INVESTMENT GROUP LLC<br>1345 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS 46TH FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY 10105 | Â             | Â         | Â VP, Gen Counsel & Secretary | Â     |

## Signatures

/s/ David N. Brooks                      02/13/2007

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\*\*Signature of Reporting Person                      Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (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 in cash equal to the fair market value of one Class A Share upon the date of such vesting.

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