HALL MATTHEW D

Form 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HALL MATTHEW D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

NELNET INC [NNI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director

121 SOUTH 13TH STREET, SUITE

(Middle)

(Zip)

12/14/2006

10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

(First)

(Month/Day/Year)

below) **Executive Director**

(Check all applicable)

201

(Street)

(State)

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

Person

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

LINCOLN, NE 68508

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

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

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Class A Common

Stock

12/14/2006

3,000 $A^{(1)}$ (1)

\$0

 $125,650^{(2)}$ D

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	7. Title a Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 a	of ng s	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	umber		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HALL MATTHEW D 121 SOUTH 13TH STREET, SUITE 201 LINCOLN, NE 68508

Executive Director

Signatures

/William J. Munn, Attorney-in-Fact for Matthew D. Hall/

**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) The acquired shares of Class A Common Stock were granted pursuant to the Issuer's Restricted Stock Plan. The shares vest equally over a three-year period, with one-third of the amount vesting annually on the anniversary date of the grant, beginning December 14, 2007.
- (2) Includes shares issued to the Reporting Person pursuant to the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan. An additional 1,555 shares were issued to the Reporting Person since his latest Form 4 filing.

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