### **HUDSON HIGHLAND GROUP INC**

Form 4

November 14, 2006

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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 \*

Stolz Richard J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

**HUDSON HIGHLAND GROUP** 

INC [HHGP]

(Month/Day/Year) 11/13/2006

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X\_ Director Officer (give title

Issuer

10% Owner Other (specify

549 POMPTON AVENUE, SUITE 304

(State)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Applicable Line)

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

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

CEDAR GROVE, NJ 07009

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1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securi		•	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	
(Instr. 3)	•	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Beneficially Owned	(D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial Ownership	
		(Wolldin Bay Tear)	(msu. o)				Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	11/13/2006		P	300	A	\$ 16.87	300	D	
Common Stock	11/13/2006		P	1,700	A	\$ 16.88	2,000	D	

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 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Price Deriva Securit (Instr. :
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.61					<u>(1)</u>	08/10/2016	Common Stock	50,000	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Stolz Richard J 549 POMPTON AVENUE, SUITE 304 CEDAR GROVE, NJ 07009	X					
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# **Signatures**

By: John K. Wilson, Attorney-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).

Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares of common stock under the Hudson Highland Group, Inc. Long Term Incentive Plan.

(1) The option vests and becomes exercisable as follows: 40% immediately upon the date of grant, 60% after 1st anniversary of the date of grant, 80% after 2nd anniversary, and 100% after 3rd anniversary.

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