

CREDIT ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 SIMMET DAVID S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 CREDIT ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION [CACC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 25505 WEST TWELVE MILE ROAD  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 05/17/2006

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Chief Information Officer

SOUTHFIELD, MI 48034

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

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

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 05/17/2006                           |  | M                              | 9,509   | A \$ 6  | 9,509  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 05/17/2006                           |  | D                              | 100   | D \$ 27.25  | 9,409  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 05/17/2006                           |  | D                              | 9,409   | D \$ 27.15  | 0  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 05/18/2006                           |  | M                              | 864   | A \$ 6  | 864  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 05/18/2006                           |  | D                              | 164   | D \$ 27.25  | 700  | D                                 |

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|              |            |   |     |   |          |       |   |
|--------------|------------|---|-----|---|----------|-------|---|
| Common Stock | 05/18/2006 | D | 200 | D | \$ 27.25 | 500   | D |
| Common Stock | 05/18/2006 | D | 100 | D | \$ 27.25 | 400   | D |
| Common Stock | 05/18/2006 | D | 300 | D | \$ 27.25 | 100   | D |
| Common Stock | 05/18/2006 | D | 100 | D | \$ 27.25 | 0     | D |
| Common Stock |            |   |     |   |          | 1,175 | 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |       |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|--|---|----------------------------|-------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)  | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title                      |       |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy)       | \$ 6   | 05/17/2006                           |  | M                              | 9,509  | 11/03/1997   | 11/03/2007  | Common Stock               | 9,509 |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy)       | \$ 6   | 05/18/2006                           |  | M                              | 864  | 11/03/1997   | 11/03/2007  | Common Stock               | 864   |

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Reporting Owners

Director      10% Owner      Officer      Other

SIMMET DAVID S  
25505 WEST TWELVE MILE ROAD  
SOUTHFIELD, MI 48034

Chief  
Information  
Officer

## Signatures

/s/ David S.                      05/19/2006  
Simmet

\_\_Signature of                      Date  
Reporting Person

## 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).

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