

BRIGHTPOINT INC

Form 4

December 19, 2006

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
STEAD JERRE L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O BRIGHTPOINT, INC., 501
AIRTECH PARKWAY**

(Street)

PLAINFIELD, IN 46168

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
BRIGHTPOINT INC [CELL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/15/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

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 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/15/2006		A	608 ⁽¹⁾ A \$ 0	29,893	D	
Common Stock					54,974 ⁽²⁾	I	By JMJS Group

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 Acquired (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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
STEAD JERRE L C/O BRIGHTPOINT, INC. 501 AIRTECH PARKWAY PLAINFIELD, IN 46168	X

Signatures

/s/ Steven E. Fivel,
Attorney-in-Fact 12/19/2006

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

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These are shares of restricted stock that were granted as Elective Awards pursuant to the Registrant's Amended and Restated Independent Director Stock Compensation Plan (the "Plan"). These Elective Awards are shares issued as additional equity compensation. The shares

(1) vest immediately, and are subject to a restriction on sale or transfer until the earlier of (i) the date the value of the director's common stock is equal to or greater than 200% of the director's Board Compensation (as defined in the Plan and determined as of December 15 for the ensuing year), or (ii) six months after the director ceases to be a director of the Registrant.

(2) The share amount has been adjusted to give effect to a 6 for 5 stock split of the Registrant's common stock effected in the form of a 20% stock dividend that was paid on 05/31/2006 to all holders of record on 05/19/2006.

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