

DONAHUE JOHN F  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
 DONAHUE JOHN F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 FEDERATED INVESTORS INC /PA/ [FII]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/04/2006

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

FEDERATED INVESTORS  
 TOWER, 1001 LIBERTY AVENUE

(Street)

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

PITTSBURGH, PA 15222-3779

(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					
				Code	V	Amount	Held			
Class B Common Stock	12/04/2006		G	V	4,620	D	\$ 0	1,918,925 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	Held indirectly by Bay Road Partners

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. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 5)
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DONAHUE JOHN F FEDERATED INVESTORS TOWER 1001 LIBERTY AVENUE PITTSBURGH, PA 15222-3779	X	X	Chairman	

## Signatures

/s/ Gail C. Jones  
(Attorney-in-Fact) 12/06/2006

\_\_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).

In addition to holdings set forth in Table I: 25,436 Shares are held directly; 308,661 Shares are held indirectly as part of Federated's Profit Sharing / 401 (k) Plan; 25,843 Shares are held indirectly by Shamrock Properties, Inc.; 338,000 Shares are held indirectly by Richmond (1) Farm LLC; 7,719 Shares are held indirectly by AWOL, Inc.; 38,821 Shares are held indirectly by Comax Land Company of Florida; 20,810 Shares are held indirectly by Oyster Bay Property, Inc.; 343 Shares are held indirectly by John F. Donahue Revocable Trust; and 343 Shares are held indirectly by Rhodora J. Donahue Revocable Trust.

### Remarks:

The Power of Attorney dated July 26, 2006 is incorporated by reference.

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