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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Section 17(a)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

Class A Common

Stock
Class A
Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

BUNN PAUL Issuer Symbol COVENANT TRANSPORTATION (Check all applicable) **GROUP INC [CVTI]** (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 400 BIRMINGHAM HIGHWAY 11/15/2012 CAO & Treasurer (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting CHATTANOOGA, TN 37419 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Class A 4,000 $A^{(1)}$ Common \$0 11/15/2012 20,155 D (1) Stock

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

By spouse

401(k)

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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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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BUNN PAUL 400 BIRMINGHAM HIGHWAY CHATTANOOGA, TN 37419

CAO & Treasurer

Signatures

/s/ Paul Bunn, by Heidi Hornung-Scherr, attorney-in-fact, pursuant to a POA previously filed with the SEC

11/19/2012

**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).
- Represents a restricted stock award under the 2006 Omnibus Incentive Plan, as such plan may be amended from time to time. The award is subject to certain vesting and forfeiture provisions.
- The number of shares beneficially owned following the reported transaction is equal to the reporting person's November 15, 2012 account (2) balance in the employer stock fund under the issuer's 401(k) plan, divided by the closing price on November 15, 2012. The plan is unitized and as such does not itself allocate a specific number of shares to each participant.

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