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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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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).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

HOGAN JOEY B			Symbol COVENANT TRANSPORTATION GROUP INC [CVTI]					Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 400 BIRMINGHAM HIGHWAY			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2018					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) PRESIDENT			
CHATTAN	Fil	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ 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 Dat (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if y/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or 1 of (D) 4 and 5) (A) or	Price	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)	
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2018			D(1)	3,412 (1)	D \$	8 0	87,172	D		
Class A Common Stock								53,524	D (2)		
Class A Common								29,652 <u>(3)</u>	I	401(k)	

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title a	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amount	of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ing	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securitie	es	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3	and 4)		Own
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	·				(A) or						Repo
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					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
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						Date	Expiration	01			
						Exercisable	Date	Title Number			
								of			
				Code V	(A) (D)			S	hares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HOGAN JOEY B 400 BIRMINGHAM HIGHWAY CHATTANOOGA, TN 37419

PRESIDENT

Signatures

/s/ Joey B. Hogan, by Heidi Hornung-Scherr, attorney-in-fact, pursuant to a POA previously filed with the SEC

03/05/2018

**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 the forfeiture of restricted stock originally granted under the 2006 Omnibus Incentive Plan, as amended, due to the issuer not achieving the established performance targets, as certified by the issuer's compensation committee on the transaction date.
- (2) Shares are owned jointly by Mr. Hogan and his wife, Melinda J. Hogan, as joint tenants.
- The number of shares beneficially owned following the reported transaction is equal to the reporting person's February 28, 2018, account (3) balance in the employer stock fund under the issuer's 401(k) plan, divided by the closing price on February 28, 2018. The plan is unitized and as such does not itself allocate a specific number of shares of each participant.

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