

# CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORP

Reported by  
**DIAMOND JEREMY**

## FORM 5

(Annual Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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| Symbol      | CIM   |
| Fiscal Year | 12/31   |

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## ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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| <b>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</b><br><br><b>Diamond Jeremy</b><br><br><small>(Last) (First) (Middle)</small><br><br><b>C/O CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORPORATION, 1211 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, SUITE 2902</b><br><br><small>(Street)</small><br><br><b>NEW YORK, NY 10036</b><br><br><small>(City) (State) (Zip)</small> | <b>2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</b><br><br><b>CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORP [CIM]</b> | <b>5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</b><br>(Check all applicable)<br><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <span style="margin-left: 150px;"><input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner</span><br><input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <span style="margin-left: 150px;"><input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)</span> |
| <b>3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended</b><br><small>(MM/DD/YYYY)</small><br><br><p align="center"><b>12/31/2012</b></p>   |  | <b>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing</b> (Check Applicable Line)<br><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by One Reporting Person<br><input type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person  |
| <b>4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed</b> (MM/DD/YYYY)   |  |  |

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Trans. Date | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 3. Trans. 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) |
|---------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|---|------------|-------|---|--|---|
|                                 |                |                                   |                           | Amount  | (A) or (D) | Price |   |  |   |
| Common Stock                    |                |                                   |                           |   |            |       | 96678   | D  |   |

**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned ( e.g. , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

| 1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Trans. Date | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Trans. 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 (MM/DD/YYYY) |                 | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |                            | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
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|  |  |                |                                   |                           | (A)  | (D) | Date Exercisable                                     | Expiration Date | Title   | Amount or Number of Shares |  |   |  |  |

**Explanation of Responses:**

**Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| <b>Diamond Jeremy</b><br><b>C/O CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORPORATION</b><br><b>1211 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, SUITE 2902</b><br><b>NEW YORK, NY 10036</b> | X             |           |         |       |

**Signatures**

/s/ **Jeremy Diamond**

**2/11/2013**

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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