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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

<b>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</b> <u>DONLIN PAUL</u> <hr/> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O: CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORPORATION</u> <u>520 MADISON AVENUE, 32ND FLOOR</u> <hr/> (Street) <u>NEW YORK NY 10022</u> <hr/> (City) (State) (Zip)	<b>2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</b> <u>CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORP [ CIM ]</u>	<b>5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</b> (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	<b>3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)</b> <u>03/18/2020</u>	
	<b>4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)</b>	

**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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	03/18/2020		A		10,000	A	\$6.62	215,002	D	
Series B Preferred Stock	03/18/2020		A		1,100	A	\$8.33	7,699	D	
Series C Preferred Stock	03/18/2020		A		2,358	A	\$6.64	7,366	D	
Series D Preferred Stock	03/18/2020		A		3,750	A	\$7.87	3,750	D	
Common Stock	03/18/2020		A		65,000	A	\$8.09	320,609	I	By - Donlin Financial LLC <sup>(1)</sup>
Series B Preferred Stock	03/18/2020		A		8,400	A	\$7.95	20,481	I	By - Donlin Financial LLC
Series C Preferred Stock	03/18/2020		A		5,475	A	\$6.96	9,323	I	By - Donlin Financial LLC
Series D Preferred Stock	03/18/2020		A		7,400	A	\$8.41	8,100	I	By - Donlin Financial LLC
Common Stock								4,000	I	By - Donlin 2008 Family Trust
Series A Preferred Stock								3,888	D	
Series A Preferred Stock								447	I	By - Donlin Financial LLC
Series C Preferred Stock								3,000	I	By - Pamela Donlin IRA Account

**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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

**Explanation of Responses:**

1. Mr. Donlin is the managing member of Donlin Financial LLC and retains a 2% ownership interest. The remaining interests are owned by a grantor trust for the benefit of his children.

/s/ Paul Donlin

03/18/2020

\*\* 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).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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