

SPECTOR GERALD A
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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 *
SPECTOR GERALD A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
EQUITY RESIDENTIAL [EQR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

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

TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE
PLAZA, SUITE 400

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Vice Chairman

(Street)

CHICAGO, IL 60606

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 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 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)
			Code	V	Amount (D) or Price		
Common Shares Of Beneficial Interest	02/28/2018		A		2,092 ⁽¹⁾ \$ 47.8	D	
Common Shares Of Beneficial Interest					27,500 ⁽³⁾	I	Family Trust
Common Shares Of Beneficial Interest					25,015 ⁽⁴⁾	I	Family Trust

Common Shares Of Beneficial Interest

57,187 ⁽⁵⁾

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Spouse

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)

Table with 9 columns: 1. Title of Derivative Security, 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security, 3. Transaction Date, 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any, 4. Transaction Code, 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D), 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date, 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities, 8. Price of Derivative Security, 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction.

Reporting Owners

Table with 2 main columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address, Relationships. Includes SPECTOR GERALD A, TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA, SUITE 400, CHICAGO, IL 60606, Director X, Vice Chairman.

Signatures

s/ By: Jane Matz, Attorney-in-fact, 03/02/2018

**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).
(1) Represents shares acquired through Equity Residential's Employee Share Purchase Plan.
(2) Direct total includes restricted shares of Equity Residential scheduled to vest in the future.

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- (3) Represents shares beneficially owned by the Concord Lane Trust. Mr. Spector disclaims beneficial ownership of said shares except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.
- (4) Represents shares held by the Spector Family Dynasty Trust (the "SFDT"). Mr. Spector is the sole trustee of the SFDT and, as such, may be deemed the beneficial owner of the shares reported herein.
- (5) Represents shares beneficially owned by Mr. Spector's spouse. Mr. Spector disclaims beneficial ownership of said shares except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.

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