BROOKFIELD HOMES CORP Form SC 13D August 31, 2007

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No.____)* **Brookfield Homes Corporation**(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share

(Title of class of securities)

112723 10 1

(CUSIP number)
Alan V. Dean
Brookfield Place
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(416) 363-9491

(Name, address and telephone number of person authorized to receive notices and communications)

August 24, 2007

(Date of event which requires filing of this statement)

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Item 1. Security and Issuer.

The title and class of equity security to which this statement on Schedule 13D relates is the shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the <u>Common Shares</u>), of Brookfield Homes Corporation (<u>Brookfield Homes</u>), a Delaware corporation. The principal executive offices of Brookfield Homes are located at 8500 Executive Park Avenue, Suite 300, Fairfax, Virginia 22031.

Item 2. Identity and Background

- (a) This Schedule 13D is being filed by each of the following persons (the <u>Reporting Persons</u>):
 - (i) Brookfield Asset Management Inc. (<u>Brookfield</u>), a corporation formed under the laws of the Province of Ontario; and
 - (ii) Partners Limited (<u>Partners</u>), a corporation formed under the laws of the Province of Ontario that owns all of Brookfield s Class B Limited Voting Shares and approximately 10% of Brookfield s Class A Limited Voting Shares directly or indirectly on a fully diluted basis.

Schedules I and II hereto set forth a list of all the directors and executive officers (the <u>Scheduled Persons</u>), and their respective principal occupations and addresses, of each of Brookfield and Partners, respectively.

- (b) The principal business address of Brookfield and Partners is Brookfield Place, 181 Bay Street, Suite 300, Toronto, Ontario, Canada M5J 2T3.
- (c) The principal business of Brookfield is to invest and operate businesses in the real estate, power generation and infrastructure sectors. The principal business of Partners is that of an investment holding company.
- (d)-(e) During the last five years, none of the Reporting Persons and, to the Reporting Persons knowledge, none of the Scheduled Persons, has been: (i) convicted in a criminal proceeding (excluding traffic violations or similar misdemeanors); or (ii) a party to a civil proceeding of a judicial or administrative body of competent jurisdiction as a result of which, he, she or it was or is subject to a judgment, decree or final order enjoining future violations of, or prohibiting or mandating activities subject to, Federal or State securities laws or finding any violation with respect to such laws.
- (f) Set forth on Schedules I and II hereto are the citizenships of each of the directors and executive officers of each of Brookfield and Partners, respectively.

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Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration.

Brookfield, either directly or through one or more wholly-owned subsidiaries, has purchased 598,573 Common Shares of Brookfield Homes, representing 2.2% of the issued and outstanding Common Shares during the period from August 6, 2007 to August 24, 2007 for an average daily trading price of \$19.39, as set out in the following schedule. This Schedule 13D is required to be filed as a result of such transactions. All the funds required for such purchases were taken from cash-on-hand.

Date of	Amount of	Price per	Where and
Transaction 8/6/07	Securities 90,000 shares	Share \$18.16	How Effected New York Stock
			Exchange (purchase)
8/7/07	90,000 shares	\$19.44	New York Stock Exchange
8/8/07	12,900 shares	\$20.79	(purchase) New York Stock
6/6/07	12,700 shares	\$20.77	Exchange
8/9/07	2,445 shares	\$19.82	(purchase) New York Stock
			Exchange (purchase)
8/13/07	58,728 shares	\$19.79	New York Stock
			Exchange (purchase)
8/14/07	100,000 shares	\$19.59	New York Stock Exchange
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8/15/07	100,000 shares	\$19.14	New York Stock Exchange
8/20/07	64,500 shares	\$19.93	(purchase) New York Stock
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8/21/07	3,400 shares	\$19.95	(purchase) New York Stock
			Exchange (purchase)
8/22/07	6,600 shares	\$19.98	New York Stock Exchange
			(purchase)
8/24/07	70,000 shares	\$19.82	New York Stock Exchange
Total purchases in	598,573 shares	\$19.39	(purchase)
period	576,575 Silares	Ψ1//	

See also Item 4.

Item 4. Purpose of Transaction.

Brookfield from time to time purchases the publicly traded shares of its subsidiaries when these are available on the market at an attractive price relative to their value. For this reason, Brookfield has been acquiring Common Shares of Brookfield Homes on a regular basis since August 6, 2007 and may continue to do so while current market conditions continue. Brookfield may also cease buying securities at any time. Any additional purchases of securities may be in the open market or privately negotiated transactions or otherwise. Brookfield reserves the right to take actions to influence the management of Brookfield Homes should it deem such actions appropriate.

Other than as described or contemplated above, none of the Reporting Persons and, to the Reporting Persons knowledge, the Scheduled Persons, has any current plans or proposals that relate to or would result in:

(a) the acquisition by any person of additional securities of Brookfield Homes, or the disposition of securities of Brookfield Homes;

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- (b) an extraordinary corporate transaction, such as a merger, reorganization or liquidation, involving Brookfield Homes or any of its subsidiaries;
- (c) a sale or transfer of a material amount of assets of Brookfield Homes or any of its subsidiaries;
- (d) any change in the present board of directors or management of Brookfield Homes, including any plans or proposals to change the number or term of directors or to fill any existing vacancies on the board;
- (e) any material change in the present capitalization or dividend policy of Brookfield Homes
- (f) any other material change in Brookfield Homes business or corporate structure;
- (g) changes in Brookfield Homes charter, bylaws or instruments corresponding thereto or other actions which may impede the acquisition of control of Brookfield Homes by any person;
- (h) causing a class of securities of Brookfield Homes to be delisted from a national securities exchange or to cease to be authorized to be quoted in an inter-dealer quotation system of a registered national securities association;
- (i) a class of equity securities of Brookfield Homes becoming eligible for termination of registration pursuant to Section 12(g)(4) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; or
- (j) any action similar to any of those enumerated above.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer.

- (a)-(b) As of the date hereof, each of the Reporting Persons may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of 14,739,466 Common Shares. Such Common Shares constitute approximately 55.3% of the issued and outstanding Common Shares based on the number of Common Shares outstanding as of August 24, 2007. Brookfield may be deemed to have the sole power to vote or direct the vote of the Common Shares beneficially owned by it with respect to those matters described above or to dispose of such Common Shares. Brookfield may hold the Common Shares directly or in one or more wholly-owned subsidiaries. Partners may be deemed to have shared power (with Brookfield) to vote or direct the vote of the Common Shares beneficially owned by it with respect to those matters described above or to dispose of such Common Shares.
- (c) No person is known to any of the Reporting Persons or, to the Reporting Persons knowledge, the Scheduled Persons, to have the right to receive or the power to direct the receipt of dividends from, or proceeds from the sale of, any such Common Shares.
- (d) Not applicable.
- (e) Not applicable.

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Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships with Respect to Securities of the Issuer.

Partners is the major shareholder of Brookfield.

The information set forth in Item 4 hereto is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 7. Material to be Filed as Exhibits.

Exhibit 1 Joint Filing Agreement, dated as of August 31, 2007, between Brookfield Asset Management Inc. and Partners Limited.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of the undersigned s knowledge and belief, each of the undersigned certifies as to itself that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct. Dated: August 31, 2007

BROOKFIELD ASSET MANAGEMENT INC.

By: /s/ Alan V. Dean

Name: Alan V. Dean

Title: Senior Vice-President and Secretary

PARTNERS LIMITED

By: /s/ Loretta M. Corso

Name: Loretta M. Corso

Title: Secretary

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SCHEDULE I

BROOKFIELD ASSET MANAGEMENT INC.

Jack L. Cockwell

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: 51 Yonge Street, Suite 400, Toronto, Ontario, M5E 1J1

Present Principal

Occupation or

Employment: Group Chairman

Employer: Brookfield Asset Management Inc. **Employer s Business:** A global asset management company

Employer s Address: Same as Business Address

Marcel R. Coutu

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: 2500 First Canadian Centre, 350 7th Ave. S.W., Calgary, Alberta T2P 3N9

Present Principal

Occupation or President & Chief Executive Officer

Employment:

Employer: Canadian Oil Sands Limited

Employer s Business: An oil company

Employer s Address: Same as Business Address

William A. Dimma

Citizenship: Canadian

Business Address: Brookfield Place, 181 Bay Street, Suite 300, Toronto, Ontario M5J 2T3

Present Principal

Occupation or Chairman and director

Employment:

Employer: Home Capital Group Inc.

Employer s Business: Real estate

Employer s Address: Same as Business Address

Sen. J. Trevor Eyton

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: 44 Victoria Street, Suite #300, Toronto, Ontario M5C 1Y2

Present Principal

Occupation or Member of the Senate of Canada

Employment:

Employer: The Senate of Canada

Employer s Business: Government

Employer s Address: Room 561-S, Centre Block, Parliament Buildings, 11 Wellington Street,

Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0A4

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J. Bruce Flatt

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: Brookfield Place, 181 Bay Street, Suite 300, Toronto, Ontario M5J 2T3

Present Principal Occupation or

Employment: Chief Executive Officer

Employer: Brookfield Asset Management Inc. **Employer s Business:** A global asset management company

Employer s Address: Same as Business Address

James K. Gray

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: 335 Eighth Ave. S.W., Royal Bank Building, Suite 1700, Calgary, Alberta T2P

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Present Principal Occupation or

Employment: Corporate Director

Employer: N/A
Employer s Business: N/A
Employer s Address: N/A

Robert J. Harding

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: Brookfield Place, 181 Bay Street, Suite 300, Toronto, Ontario M5J 2T3

Present Principal Occupation or

Employment: Chairman

Employer: Brookfield Asset Management Inc. **Employer s Business:** A global asset management company

Employer s Address: Same as Business Address

David W. Kerr

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: Brookfield Place, 181 Bay Street, Suite 300, Toronto, Ontario M5J 2T3

Present Principal

Occupation or Corporate Director

Employment:

Employer: N/A
Employer s Business: N/A
Employer s Address: N/A

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Lance Liebman

Citizenship: United States of America

Business Address: 435 West 116th Street, New York, New York 10027-7297

Present Principal

Occupation or

Employment: Professor of law Columbia Law School

Employer s Business: Education

Employer s Address: Same as Business Address

Philip B. Lind

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: 333 Bloor Street E., 10th Floor, Toronto, Ontario M4W 1G9

Present Principal Occupation or

Employment: Vice-Chairman

Employer: Rogers Communications Inc.

Employer s Business: Diversified communications company

Employer s Address: Same as Business Address

Roy MacLaren

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: 425 Russell Hill Road, Toronto, Ontario M5P 2S4

Present Principal

Occupation or

Employment: Corporate Director

Employer: N/A
Employer s Business: N/A
Employer s Address: N/A

G. Wallace F. McCain

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: 30 St. Clair Ave. W., #1500, Toronto, Ontario M4V 3A2

Present Principal

Occupation or

Employment: Chairman

Employer: Maple Leaf Foods Inc.

Employer s Business: Processed Food Manufacturer
Employer s Address: Same as Business Address

Jack M. Mintz

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: 105 St. George St., #529, Toronto, Ontario M5E 3E6

Present Principal Professor

Occupation or

Employment:

Employer: Joseph L. Rotman School of Management

Employer s Business:

Employer s Address:

Business Economics

Same as Business Address

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George S. Taylor

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: R.R. #3, 4675 Line 3, Saint Marys, Ontario N4X 1C6

Present Principal Occupation or

Employment: Corporate Director

Employer: N/A
Employer s Business: N/A
Employer s Address: N/A

Brian D. Lawson

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: Brookfield Place, 181 Bay Street, Suite 300, Toronto, Ontario M5J 2T3

Present Principal Occupation or

Employment: Chief Financial Officer

Employer: Brookfield Asset Management Inc. **Employer s Business:** A global asset management company

Employer s Address: Same as Business Address

Jeffrey M. Blidner

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: Brookfield Place, 181 Bay Street, Suite 300, Toronto, Ontario M5J 2T3

Present Principal

Occupation or

Employment: Managing Partner

Employer: Brookfield Asset Management Inc. **Employer s Business:** A global asset management company

Employer s Address: Same as Business Address

Frank J. McKenna

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: P.O. Box 1, TD Centre, 66 Wellington St. W., 4th Floor, TD Tower, Toronto,

Ontario M5K 1A2

Present Principal

Occupation or

Employment: Deputy Chair

Employer: TD Bank Financial Group
Employer s Business: Financial services company
Employer s Address: Same as Business Address

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George E. Myhal

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: Brookfield Place, 181 Bay Street, Suite 300, Toronto, Ontario M5J 2T3

Present Principal Occupation or

Employment: Managing Partner

Employer: Brookfield Asset Management Inc. **Employer s Business:** A global asset management company

Employer s Address: Same as Business Address

James A. Pattison

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: 1800 1067 West Cordova St., Vancouver, B.C. V6C 1C7

Present Principal Occupation or

Employment: Chairman

Employer: The Jim Pattison Group

Employer s Business: A diversified consumer products company

Employer s Address: Same as Business Address

Samuel J.B. Pollock

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: Brookfield Place, 181 Bay Street, Suite 300, Toronto, Ontario M5J 2T3

Present Principal Occupation or

Employment: Managing Partner

Employer: Brookfield Asset Management Inc. **Employer s Business:** A global asset management company

Employer s Address: Same as Business Address

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SCHEDULE II PARTNERS LIMITED

Gordon E. Arnell

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: Brookfield Place, 181 Bay Street, Suite 300, Toronto, Ontario M5J 2T3

Present Principal Occupation or

Employment: Chairman

Employer: Brookfield Properties Corporation

Employer s Business: A real estate company
Employer s Address: Same as Business Address

Jack L. Cockwell see Schedule I

Robert J. Harding see Schedule I

David W. Kerr see Schedule I

Edward C. Kress

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: 51 Yonge Street, Suite 400, Toronto, Ontario, M5E 1J1

Present Principal Occupation or

Employer: Group Chairman **Employer:** Brookfield Power Corp. **Employer s Business:** A power generation com

Employer s Business: A power generation company **Employer s Address:** Same as Business Address

Timothy E. Price

Citizenship: Canada

Business Address: 51 Yonge Street, Suite 400, Toronto, Ontario, M5E 1J1

Present Principal

Occupation or

Employer: Group Chairman, Funds Management Employer: Brookfield Asset Management Inc. Employer s Business: A global asset management company

Employer s Address: Same as Business Address

EXHIBIT I

JOINT FILING AGREEMENT

We, the signatories of the Statement on Schedule 13D to which this Agreement is attached, hereby agree that such statement is, and any amendments thereto filed by any of us will be, filed on behalf of each of us. Dated: August 31, 2007

BROOKFIELD ASSET MANAGEMENT INC.

By: /s/ Alan V. Dean Name: Alan V. Dean

Title: Senior Vice President and Secretary

PARTNERS LIMITED

By: /s/ Loretta M. Corso

Name: Loretta M. Corso

Title: Secretary