#### **EQUITY RESIDENTIAL**

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Form 4

September 08, 2014

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(Print or Type F	Responses)								
1. Name and A Kaufman Ian	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EQUITY RESIDENTIAL [EQR] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)									
TWO NORT	(Month/D	(Month/Day/Year) 09/05/2014				Director 10% Owner Softicer (give title Other (specify below)			
	(Street)	mendment, Date Original 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				
CHICAGO,	IL 60606						Person	ore man One Rep	oorung
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	uired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	sposed	of (D)	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)
Common									
Shares Of	00/05/2014		M	1 705	٨	¢ 52 5	14,601.7356	D	

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Common Shares Of Beneficial Interest	09/05/2014	S	1,567	D	\$ 67	12,806.7356 (1)	D	
Common Shares Of Beneficial Interest	09/05/2014	M	2,293	A	\$ 32.97	15,099.7356 (1)	D	
Common Shares Of Beneficial Interest	09/05/2014	S	2,293	D	\$ 67	12,806.7356 (1)	D	
Common Shares Of Beneficial Interest						372.3403 <u>(2)</u>	I	401(k) Plan

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 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	rivative Expiration Date ities (Month/Day/Year) ired r osed of . 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 53.5	09/05/2014		M	1,795	(3)	02/08/2017	Common Shares Of Beneficial Interest	1,79
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.07	09/05/2014		M	1,567	<u>(4)</u>	02/06/2019	Common Shares Of Beneficial Interest	1,56
	\$ 32.97	09/05/2014		M	2,293	(5)	02/05/2020		2,29

Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy) Common Shares Of Beneficial Interest

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Kaufman Ian TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA, SUITE 400 CHICAGO, IL 60606

Chief Accounting Officer

# **Signatures**

s/ By: Jane Matz, Attorney-in-fact 09/08/2014

\*\*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) Direct total includes restricted shares of the Company scheduled to vest in the future.
- Represents shares acquired through profit sharing contributions and dividend reinvestment activity in the reporting person's account with (2) the Equity Residential Advantage 401(k) Retirement Savings Plan, a plan qualified under Section 401(k) of the Internal Revenue Code of
- 1986, as amended. Such shares represent acquisitions through July 11, 2014.

  Represents share options scheduled to vest in approximately three equal installments on February 8, 2008, February 8, 2009 and February
- (3) 8, 2010.
- (4) Represents share options scheduled to vest in approximately three equal installments on February 6, 2010, February 6, 2011 and February 6, 2012.
- (5) Represents share options scheduled to vest in approximately three equal installments on February 5, 2011, February 5, 2012 and February 5, 2013.

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