EQUITY RESIDENTIAL

Form 4

August 02, 2005

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NEITHERCUT DAVID J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

EQUITY RESIDENTIAL [EQR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(First) (Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE

(Month/Day/Year)

08/01/2005

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

below)

President

PLAZA, SUITE 400

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(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

Person

CHICAGO, IL 60606

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficia	lly 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. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed of		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005		M	1,400	A	\$ 20.75	87,479 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005		M	1,700	A	\$ 20.75	89,179 (1)	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005		M	2,000	A	\$ 20.75	91,179 (1)	D	

Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005	M	200	A	\$ 20.75	91,379 (1)	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005	M	900	A	\$ 20.75	92,279 (1)	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005	M	700	A	\$ 20.75	92,979 (1)	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005	M	3,000	A	\$ 20.75	95,979 <u>(1)</u>	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005	M	2,600	A	\$ 20.75	98,579 <u>(1)</u>	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005	M	12,500	A	\$ 25.3438	111,079 (1)	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005	S	12,500	D	\$ 40.1	98,579 <u>(1)</u>	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005	M	3,000	D	\$ 40.14	95,579 <u>(1)</u>	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005	M	1,700	D	\$ 40.14	93,879 (1)	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005	S	2,000	D	\$ 40.15	91,879 (1)	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005	S	900	D	\$ 40.16	90,979 (1)	D
	08/01/2005	S	1,400	D	\$ 40.17	89,579 (1)	D

Common Shares of Beneficial Interest								
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005	S	200	D	\$ 40.18	89,379 (1)	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005	S	2,600	D	\$ 40.19	86,779 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	08/01/2005	S	700	D	\$ 40.2	86,079 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest						2,874 (2)	I	Limited Partnership
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest						151,177 <u>(3)</u>	I	SERP Account

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

(right to buy)

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ctionDerivative Securities 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ve Expiration Date es (Month/Day/Year) d (A) seed of			7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ai Ni Sh	
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 20.0938						01/18/2000	01/18/2009	Common Shares of Beneficial	1.	

Interest

Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.0625				01/24/2001	01/24/2010	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.55				02/07/2004	02/07/2013	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	1
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.844				01/18/2002	01/18/2011	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 27.2				01/16/2003	01/16/2012	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 27.6				07/11/2002	07/11/2011	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.25				01/27/2004	01/27/2014	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest]
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.76				02/03/2005	02/03/2015	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest]
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.75	08/01/2005	M	1,700	01/28/2000	01/28/2007	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.75	08/01/2005	М	3,000	01/28/2000	01/28/2007	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.75	08/01/2005	М	2,000	01/28/2000	01/28/2007	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.75	08/01/2005	М	900	01/28/2000	01/28/2007	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	
	\$ 20.75	08/01/2005	M	1,400	01/28/2000	01/28/2007		

Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)							Common Shares of Beneficial Interest
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.75	08/01/2005	M	200	01/28/2000	01/28/2007	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.75	08/01/2005	М	2,600	01/28/2000	01/28/2007	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.75	08/01/2005	М	700	01/28/2000	01/28/2007	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.3438	08/01/2005	М	12,500	01/07/2001	01/07/2008	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MEITHER CUT DAVID I						

NEITHERCUT DAVID J TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA, SUITE 400 CHICAGO, IL 60606

President

Signatures

By: Barbara

Shuman 08/02/2005

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).
- (3) Shares reported herein are owned by The Security Trust Company, as Trustee of the Equity Residential Supplemental Retirement Plan for the benefit of the Reporting Person.
- (9) One-third of the share options reported on this line are exercisable; one-third will become exercisable on July 11, 2003; and one-third will become exercisable on July 11, 2004.
- (4) Share options reported on this line are fully exercisable.
- (1) Shares reported on this line are owned directly and some of the shares (including the shares which are subject to the grant award reported herein) are subject to vesting.
- (7) 45,136 share options reported herein are currently exercisable; and 22,568 share options will become exercisable on January 18, 2004.

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- (5) Share options reported on this line are fully exercisable.
- (11) Share options reported on this line will become exercisable in three equal installments on February 3, 2006; February 3, 2007 and February 3, 2008.
- (13) Share options reported on this line are fully exercisable.
- (2) Shares reported on this line are benficially owned by the Benemi Partners, L.P., of which Mr. Neithercut is the general partner.
- (8) 26,655 share options reported herein are currently exercisable; 26,655 share options will become exercisable on January 16, 2004; and 26,655 share options will become exercisable on January 16, 2005.
- 33,662 share options reported herein will become exercisable on February 7, 2004; 33,662 share options will become exercisable on February 7, 2005; 33,663 share options will become exercisable on February 7, 2006.
- (12) Share options reported on this line are fully exercisable.
- (10) Share options reported on this line will become exercisable in three equal installments on January 27, 2005; January 27, 2006 and January 27, 2007.

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