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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Santee David S			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		
DAVID S. S.	ANTEE, TWO	O NORTH	02/28/2007	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify		
RIVERSIDE PLAZA				below) below) EVP-Operations		
				Evi Operations		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
				X Form filed by One Reporting Person		
CHICAGO, 1	L 60606			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

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(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y 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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed 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 Beneficial Interest							18,321 (1)	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	02/28/2007		A	2,316	A	\$ 43.17	17,047.5231 (2)	I	SERP Account

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title and A Underlying So (Instr. 3 and 4	ecurities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.25					(3)	01/27/2014	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	7,107
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.76					<u>(4)</u>	02/03/2015	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	16,381
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 42.8					<u>(5)</u>	02/03/2016	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	17,772
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 53.5					<u>(6)</u>	02/08/2017	Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	19,770

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

Santee David S DAVID S. SANTEE TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA CHICAGO, IL 60606

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s/Barbara Shuman, Attorney-in-fact

03/02/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).
- (4) The share options reported on this line become exercisable as follows: 8,190 on February 3, 2007 and 8,191 on February 3, 2008.
- (6) Represents share options scheduled to vest in three equal installments on February 8, 2008, February 8, 2009 and February 8, 2010.
- (2) Shares reported herein are owned by the AST Trust Company, as Trustee of the Equity Residential Supplemental Retirement Plan for the benefit of the reporting person and were acquired through Equity Residential's Employee Share Purchase Plan.
- (5) The share options reported on this line become exercisable in three annual installments as follows: 5,924 on February 3, 2007; 5,924 on February 3, 2008; and 5,924 on February 3, 2009.
- (1) Direct total includes restricted shares.
- (3) The share options reported on this line become exercisable on January 27, 2007.

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