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without par

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to					
DELANEY JAMES M			Symbol ASSOCIATED ESTATES REALTY CORP [AEC]					Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) ONE AEC F	(First)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)					_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
ONE TIECT	08/11/2008										
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			
RICHMONI	D HEIGHTS, O							_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	curity (Month/Day/Year) Execution str. 3) any		med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Indirect (I) Own		
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Shares, without par value	08/11/2008			M	5,000	A	\$ 10	17,394	D		
Common Shares,	08/11/2008			S	5,000	D	\$ 14.08	12,394	D		

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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	,	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options	\$ 10	08/11/2008		M	5,000	05/15/2001	05/15/2010	Common Share	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DELANEY JAMES M
ONE AEC PARKWAY
X
RICHMOND HEIGHTS, OH 44143

Signatures

/s/Suzanne K. Hanselman, as Attorney-in-Fact

08/13/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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