NexPoint Residential Trust, Inc.

Form 4

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DONDERO JAMES D Syn			Symbol	Name and				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			NexPoint Residential Trust, Inc. [NXRT]					(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) ((First) (Middle) 3. Date of (Month/D			ransaction			DirectorX 10% Owner Officer (give titleX Other (specify				
300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700			12/24/2015					below) below) Affiliated Person				
				Amendment, Date Original d(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				
DALLAS, TX 75201												
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities A	cquired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	ecurity (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if		3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or))	Reported Transaction(s)	Form: Direct (D) or	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				Code V	Amount		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	12/24/2015			S	0 (1)	D	<u>(1)</u>	1,592,994.44 (1) (2) (3)	I	See Footnote (2)		
Common Stock								18,177.58 <u>(4)</u>	I	By employee benefit plan		

See

Footnote (5)

1,717,598.43

4,836.77 (6)

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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)	2 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,	.	ate	Amou Under Securi	Title and amount of Inderlying ecurities Instr. 3 and 4)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
DONDERO JAMES D 300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700 DALLAS, TX 75201		X		Affiliated Person		

Signatures

/s/ James D.
Dondero

**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) A trust (the "Trust") sold a majority of its pecuniary, non-voting, non-control interest in Highland Capital Management, L.P. ("HCMLP") to another trust in a private transaction. Mr. Dondero has an indirect interest in such transaction as a beneficiary of the Trust. However, neither HCMLP nor the Trust sold any NXRT shares and therefore there is no change in the number of NXRT shares held. Mr. Dondero continues to have a reportable interest in the shares held by HCMLP through his indirect limited partner interest (through the Trust) and general partner interest (through Strand Advisors, Inc. ("Strand")) in HCMLP, and in the shares held by the Trust as a beneficiary of the

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Trust.

- These shares are held by HCMLP both directly and indirectly through advised accounts. Mr. Dondero is the President and the director of (2) Strand, HCMLP's general partner, and may be deemed to be an indirect beneficial owner of shares held by HCMLP. Mr. Dondero disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (3) Includes shares acquired under the issuer's dividend reinvestment plan.
- (4) These shares are held pursuant to an employee benefit plan.
- (5) These shares are held by the Trust pursuant to an employee purchase plan. Mr. Dondero disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares.
- (6) These shares are held directly by Mr. Dondero.

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