

EQUITY RESIDENTIAL  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
STROHM BRUCE C

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE  
PLAZA, SUITE 400  
(Street)

CHICAGO, IL 60606

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
EQUITY RESIDENTIAL [EQR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
05/02/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
General Counsel/EVP

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)		
			Code	V	Amount (D) or Price				
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	05/02/2008		S		6,000	D	\$ 43.5	127,363 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	05/02/2008		S		4,700	D	\$ 44	122,663 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	05/02/2008		S		1,000	D	\$ 44.0025	121,663 <sup>(1)</sup>	D

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Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	05/02/2008	S	842	D	\$ 44.01	120,821 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	05/02/2008	S	200	D	\$ 44.015	120,621 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	05/02/2008	S	900	D	\$ 44.02	119,721 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	05/02/2008	S	600	D	\$ 44.025	119,121 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	05/02/2008	S	300	D	\$ 44.0275	118,821 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	05/02/2008	S	1,300	D	\$ 44.03	117,521 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	05/02/2008	S	700	D	\$ 44.035	116,821 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	05/02/2008	S	3,000	D	\$ 44.04	113,821 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Series C Preferred Shares of Beneficial Interest						2,400	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest						1,968.2006 <u>(2)</u>	I	401(k) Plan
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest						4,000 <u>(3)</u>	I	Custodian



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1986, as amended. Such shares represent acquisitions through April 14, 2008.

- (3) Shares reported herein are beneficially owned by Mr. Strohm, not individually, but as custodian for his minor children. Mr. Strohm disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares.
- (4) Represents shares owned by AST Trust Company, as Trustee of the Equity Residential Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan, for the benefit of the reporting person.

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