

Forestar Real Estate Group Inc.  
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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 \*  
Knight Craig A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Forestar Real Estate Group Inc.  
[FOR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
1300 SOUTH MOPAC  
EXPRESSWAY 3-SOUTH  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/24/2008

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Chief Investment Officer

AUSTIN, TX 78746

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	09/24/2008	09/24/2008	P	2,000 A 15.89	21,232 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock					1,763 <sup>(3)</sup>	I	By Trustee 401(k) Plan <sup>(3)</sup>

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. Number of Derivative Securities 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)	8. Fair Value of Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option (right to buy) <u>(4)</u> <u>(5)</u>	\$ 13.24					02/04/2001	02/04/2010	Common Stock	3,333
Option (right to buy) <u>(5)</u> <u>(6)</u>	\$ 11.76					02/02/2002	02/02/2011	Common Stock	833
Option (right to buy) <u>(5)</u> <u>(7)</u>	\$ 13.26					02/01/2003	02/01/2012	Common Stock	1,666
Option (right to buy) <u>(5)</u> <u>(8)</u>	\$ 8.68					02/07/2004	02/07/2013	Common Stock	2,500
Option (right to buy) <u>(5)</u> <u>(9)</u>	\$ 15.02					02/06/2005	02/06/2014	Common Stock	1,666
Option (right to buy) <u>(5)</u> <u>(10)</u>	\$ 20.26					02/04/2006	02/04/2015	Common Stock	1,666
Option (right to buy) <u>(5)</u> <u>(11)</u>	\$ 27.06					02/03/2007	02/03/2016	Common Stock	3,333
Option (right to buy) <u>(5)</u> <u>(12)</u>	\$ 30.56					02/02/2008	02/02/2017	Common Stock	3,333
Option (right to buy) <u>(13)</u>	\$ 28.85					02/12/2009	02/12/2018	Common Stock	66,500
	<u>(15)</u>					<u>(15)</u>	<u>(15)</u>		4,166

Restricted (5) (14)				Common Stock	
Restricted (5) (14)	(14)		(14)	Common Stock	4,333

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Knight Craig A 1300 SOUTH MOPAC EXPRESSWAY 3-SOUTH AUSTIN, TX 78746			Chief Investment Officer	

## Signatures

David M. Grimm signing on behalf of Craig A. Knight 09/25/2008

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) The price reported is a weighted average purchase price. The purchase price ranged from \$15.51 to \$16.00. Reporting Person provided Issuer full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price. Issuer will provide, upon receipt of a request, a copy of this information to the SEC staff or a security holder of the issuer.
  - (2) In accordance with the Rights Agreement adopted by the Company on December 11, 2007, Preferred Stock Purchase Rights are deemed to be attached to the shares of Common Stock.
  - (3) Reporting Person acquired shares through acquisitions under 401(k) plan. By trustee of the Temple-Inland Salaried Savings Plan according to the latest report of the Plan Administrator. (Note: Trustee uses unit accounting; therefore, share equivalents may fluctuate slightly from month to month.)
  - (4) Options Vesting Schedule - Exercise price is \$13.24: Options Exercisable 02/04/2003- 3,333.
  - (5) Shares acquired in a pro rata distribution by Temple-Inland Inc. through a spin-off on or around December 28, 2007.
  - (6) Options Vesting Schedule - Exercise price is \$11.76: Options Exercisable 02/02/2004- 833.
  - (7) Options Vesting Schedule - Exercise price is \$13.26: Options Exercisable 02/01/2005- 1,666.
  - (8) Options Vesting Schedule - Exercise price is \$8.68: Options Exercisable 02/07/2007 - 2,500.
  - (9) Options Vesting Schedule - Exercise price of \$15.02: Options Exercisable 02/06/2007 - 1,250; Options Exercisable 02/06/2008 - 416.
  - (10) Options Vesting Schedule - Exercise price of \$20.26: Options Exercisable 02/04/2007 - 833; Options Exercisable 02/04/2008 - 416; Options Exercisable 02/04/2009 - 416.
  - (11) Options Vesting Schedule - Exercise price of \$27.06: Options Exercisable 02/03/2007 - 833; Options Exercisable 02/03/2008 - 833; Options Exercisable 02/03/2009 - 833; and Options Exercisable 02/03/2010 - 833.
  - (12) Options Vesting Schedule - Exercise price of \$30.56: Options Exercisable 02/02/2008 - 833; Options Exercisable 02/02/2009 - 833; Options Exercisable 02/02/2010 - 833; and Options Exercisable 02/02/2011 - 833.
  - (13) Options Vesting Schedule for Options Granted 02/12/2008 - Exercise price is \$28.85: Options Exercisable 02/12/2009 - 16,625; Options Exercisable 02/12/2010 - 16,625; Options Exercisable 02/12/2011 - 16,625; Options Exercisable 02/12/2012 - 16,625.
  - (14) Restricted Shares will vest effective 02/02/2010. Restricted Shares will be settled for cash based on the fair market value on the vesting date.

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- (15) Restricted Shares will vest effective 02/03/2009. Restricted Shares will be settled for cash based on the fair market value on the vesting date.

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