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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
MEZGER JEFFREY T

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
10990 WILSHIRE  
BOULEVARD, 7TH FLOOR  
  
(Street)

LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
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3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
10/02/2008

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)  
President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Code V	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Num Sha
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 28.1	10/02/2008 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	412,500	<u>(1)</u>	10/04/2017	Common stock	41
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 19.9	10/02/2008	A	397,818	<u>(2)</u>	10/02/2018	Common stock	39
Phantom Share	<u>(3)</u>	10/02/2008	A	43,970	10/03/2011	10/03/2011	Common stock	43

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MEZGER JEFFREY T 10990 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD 7TH FLOOR LOS ANGELES, CA 90024	X		President and CEO	

## Signatures

/s/ Tony Richelieu, Attorney-in-Fact for Jeffrey T. Mezger  
 10/06/2008  
 \*\*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) On October 4, 2007, the reporting person was granted Stock Appreciation Rights that, subject to the achievement of a performance goal, vest in three equal annual installments beginning on October 4, 2008, and will be paid out in cash upon exercise. On October 2, 2008, in accordance with the terms of the grant, the Management Development and Compensation Committee of the issuer's Board of Directors determined that the applicable performance goal had been achieved.
  - (2) The Stock Appreciation Rights vest in three equal annual installments beginning on October 2, 2009, and will be paid out in cash upon exercise.
  - (3) Each Phantom Share is the economic equivalent of one share of KB Home common stock and vests in full three years after date of grant. At vesting, each Phantom Share will be paid out in cash.

### Remarks:

Exhibit List:  
 Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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