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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **KROPP JAMES H** Issuer Symbol American Homes 4 Rent [AMH] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify C/O AMERICAN HOMES 4 08/06/2013 below) RENT. 30601 WEST AGOURA ROAD, SUITE 200 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting AGOURA HILLS, CA 91301 (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A)

Ownership Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Class A Common 1,000 D Shares Class A Common 10,000 Ι By IRA (1) Shares Class A See Common 08/06/2013 $P^{(2)}$ 2,000 Α \$ 16 2,000 I

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration Date Amo		Amour	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	/Year)	Underl	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	B) Derivativ	re e		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities	S		(Instr.	3 and 4)	
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					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
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					4, and 5)					
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				Code	V (A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KROPP JAMES H C/O AMERICAN HOMES 4 RENT 30601 WEST AGOURA ROAD, SUITE 200 AGOURA HILLS, CA 91301

X

Signatures

/s/ Sara Vogt-Lowell, attorney-in-fact

08/07/2013

**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) Registered to the Millennium Trust Company LLC, custodian FBO James H. Kropp IRA.
- (2) Purchased pursuant to American Homes 4 Rent's directed share program as part of the initial public offering.
- (3) By The Kropp 2010 Family Trust, of which the reporting person is trustee.

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