

Equity Commonwealth
Form 3
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FORM 3

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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting
Person *

Â STAR JAMES A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O COMMONWEALTH
REIT,Â TWO NORTH
RIVERSIDE PLAZA, SUITE
600

(Street)

CHICAGO,Â ILÂ 60606

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring
Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

07/31/2014

3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
Equity Commonwealth [EQC]

4. Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer ☐ Other
(give title below) (specify below)

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 Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership
Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Common Shares of Beneficial Interest

36,831

D

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Common Shares of Beneficial Interest

246,702

I

See Footnote ⁽¹⁾

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially
owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
STAR JAMES A C/O COMMONWEALTH REIT TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA, SUITE 600 CHICAGO, IL 60606	X			

Signatures

/s/ Orrin S. Shifrin,
attorney-in-fact

08/04/2014

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) These shares are owned by Crown Investment Series LLC - Series 45 ("Crown Series 45"), in which trusts established for the benefit of the reporting person's wife and children indirectly own interests. Crown Series 45 is indirectly controlled by Longview Asset Management LLC, of which the reporting person is President and Chief Executive Officer. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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Remarks:

Exhibit: ^ ^ Power ^ of ^ Attorney

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