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FORM 4

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Add Lau Christoph	•	ing Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol American Homes 4 Rent [AMH]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
30601 AGOURA ROAD, SUITE 200			(Month/Day/Year) 05/08/2018	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify			
				below) below) EVP - Finance			
	(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			
AGOURA HILLS, CA 91301				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative :	Securi	ities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3,	sposed 4 and 3	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Class A Common Shares	05/08/2018		M	20,000	A	\$ 14	63,470 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Class A Common Shares	05/08/2018		S	20,000	D	\$ 20.5	43,470 (1)	D	
Class A Common Shares	05/08/2018		M	70,000	A	\$ 16.62	113,470 (1)	D	
Class A Common	05/08/2018		S	70,000	D	\$ 20.5	43,470 (1)	D	

Shares

Class A Common Shares	05/08/2018	M	15,000	A	\$ 16.48	58,470 <u>(1)</u>	D
Class A Common Shares	05/08/2018	S	15,000	D	\$ 20.5	43,470 (1)	D

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. Transa Code (Instr.	ection	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Nebulung Owner Maine / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Lau Christopher 30601 AGOURA ROAD SUITE 200 AGOURA HILLS, CA 91301

EVP - Finance

Signatures

/s/ Christopher

Lau 05/10/2018

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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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) Includes 38,250 restricted share units, each unit representing a contingent right to receive one Class A Common Share.

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