EQUITY RESIDENTIAL

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TENNISON MARK N			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EQUITY RESIDENTIAL [EQR]				Is	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)		
TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA, SUITE 400			(Month/Day/Year) 06/05/2014					Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive Vice President		
(Street) CHICAGO, IL 60606			Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-I) Derivative	Secui		red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	lv Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ned Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		ties A sed of 4 and (A) or	cquired (A)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Shares Of Beneficial Interest	06/05/2014			M	3,000	A	\$ 31.76	13,881	D	
Common Shares Of Beneficial Interest	06/05/2014			S	3,000	D	\$ 63.1353	10,881	D	
Common Shares Of Beneficial Interest								249.3011 <u>(2)</u>	I	401(k) Plan

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Common Shares Of Beneficial

16,216.209 (3)

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Account

Interest

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)

Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative

Security

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)

5. Number Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or

6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)

Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

> Date Exercisable

Expiration Date

Title

or Numb of Share

Amou

3,00

Non-qualified **Stock Option**

(Right to Buy)

\$ 31.76

06/05/2014

M

Code V (A)

3,000

(D)

(4)

Shares Of 02/03/2015

Beneficial

Interest

Common

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director

10% Owner

Officer

Other

TENNISON MARK N

TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA, SUITE 400

CHICAGO, IL 60606

Executive Vice President

Signatures

s/ By: Jane Matz, Attorney-in-fact

06/06/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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).
- The price represents the weighted average price of the shares sold. The shares were sold within a range of \$63.11 to \$63.18. The reporting person will provide, upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer, or any security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- Represents shares acquired through profit sharing contributions and dividend reinvestment activity in the reporting person's account with (2) the Equity Residential Advantage 401(k) Retirement Savings Plan, a plan qualified under Section 401(k) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Such shares represent acquisitions through April 11, 2014.
- (3) Represents shares owned by Principal Trust Company, as Trustee of the Equity Residential Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan, for the benefit of the reporting person.
- (4) Represents share options scheduled to vest in three equal installments on February 3, 2006, February 3, 2007 and February 3, 2008.

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