

American Homes 4 Rent
Form 3
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FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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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 HART MATTHEW J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O AMERICAN HOMES 4
RENT,Â 30601 WEST
AGOURA ROAD, SUITE 200

(Street)

AGOURA HILLS,Â CAÂ 91301

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

07/31/2013

3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
American Homes 4 Rent [AMH]

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)

Class A Common Shares

12,500

D Â

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)

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

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:

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

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	11/29/2013 ⁽¹⁾	11/29/2022	Class A Common Shares	10,000	\$ 15	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HART MATTHEW J C/O AMERICAN HOMES 4 RENT 30601 WEST AGOURA ROAD, SUITE 200 AGOURA HILLS, CA 91301	Â X	Â	Â	Â

Signatures

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

07/31/2013

__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) Options become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on the "Date Exercisable" indicated.

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Remarks:

ExhibitÂ 24:Â PowerÂ ofÂ Attorney

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