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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 Address of Reporting Person *

Zimmer Jeffrey J

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

3001 OCEAN DRIVE, SUITE #201

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Armour Residential REIT, Inc. [ARR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

below) Co-CEO and President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

VERO BEACH, FL 32963

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) (Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

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

any

5. Number 4. Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Code Securities

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

7. Title and Amount of 8. Price **Underlying Securities** Deriva (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					(Instr
				Code V	(A) (D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	03/31/2011		A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(</u> 4
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	06/30/2011		A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(</u>
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	09/30/2011		A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(</u> 4
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	12/31/2011		A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(</u> 4
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	03/31/2012		A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(</u> 4
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	06/30/2012		A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(</u> 4
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	09/30/2012		A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(</u> 4
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	12/31/2012		A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(</u>
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	03/31/2013		A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(</u> 4
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	06/30/2013		A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(</u> 4
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	09/30/2013		A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(</u> 4
Phantom Stock (1)	<u>(4)</u>	12/31/2013		A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(</u> 4

(2) (3)									
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	03/31/2014	A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(4</u>
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	06/30/2014	A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(4</u>
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	09/30/2014	A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(4</u>
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	12/31/2014	A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(4</u>
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	03/31/2015	A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(4</u>
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	06/30/2015	A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(4</u>
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	09/30/2015	A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,657	<u>(4</u>
Phantom Stock (1) (2) (3)	<u>(4)</u>	12/31/2015	A	3,657	(1)(2)(3)	(1)(2)(3)	Common Stock	3,642	<u>(4</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiauonsinps						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Zimmer Jeffrey J 3001 OCEAN DRIVE SUITE #201 VERO BEACH, FL 32963	X		Co-CEO and President				

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey J.
Zimmer

**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).

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- The reporting person was granted an aggregate of 73,125 shares of phantom stock under ARMOUR Residential REIT, Inc.'s 2009 Stock
 Incentive Compensation Plan pursuant to a vesting schedule described below. 3,657 shares of the reporting person's phantom stock vested on March 31, 2011 with an additional 3,657 shares of phantom stock vesting on the last day of each fiscal quarter until September 30, 2015. On December 31, 2015, 3,642 shares will vest, at which time all phantom stock will be vested.
- Upon termination of the reporting person's service with ARMOUR Residential Management LLC ("ARRM"), ARMOUR's manager, or the termination of the Management Agreement between ARMOUR and ARRM, all phantom shares which have not vested prior to or concurrently with such termination will be forfeited by the reporting person; provided, however, that the phantom shares will vest if the termination is due to death, disability, termination without cause, or retirement after age 62. The phantom shares will automatically vest upon a change in control of ARMOUR. The reporting person will be entitled to an to an equal number of shares of ARMOUR common stock within 30 days of vesting.
- The reporting person also has the right to elect to receive the amount of cash necessary to pay and income taxes instead of some of the shares of ARMOUR common stock. With respect to each phantom share, the reporting person will receive a cash payment in an amount equal to the cash dividend distributions paid in the ordinary course on a share of ARMOUR common stock.
- (4) Each unit of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of ARMOUR common stock.

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