#### **EASTGROUP PROPERTIES INC**

Form 4 March 06, 2017

# FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

COLEMAN JOHN F			Symbol EASTG	EASTGROUP PROPERTIES INC					(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)  190 EAST CAPITOL STREET, SUITE 400			3. Date of (Month/D	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2017					Director 10% Owner Senior Vice President			
JACKSON,	4. If Amendment, Date Original 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)	y) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	ear) Execut	eemed ion Date, if n/Day/Year)	on Date, if Transac Code Day/Year) (Instr. 8			ispose 4 and (A) or	d of 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficia Indirect (I) Ownersh (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	03/02/2017			Code	V	Amount 5,619	(D)	Price (1)	129,356	D		
Common Stock	03/02/2017			F		472	D	\$ 74.8 (2)	128,884	D		
Common Stock	03/02/2017			A		4,816	A	(3)	133,700	D		
Common Stock	03/02/2017			F		505	D	\$ 74.8 (4)	133,195 <u>(5)</u>	D		

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	<ol><li>Date Exerc</li></ol>	cisable and	7. Title a	and	8. Price of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Date		Amount	of	Derivative	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)		Underlying	Security		
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securitie	es	(Instr. 5)	
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3	and 4)		
	Security				Acquired						
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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

COLEMAN JOHN F 190 EAST CAPITOL STREET SUITE 400 JACKSON, MS 39201

Senior Vice President

### **Signatures**

Michael C. Donlon, Attorney-in-Fact for John F. Coleman

03/06/2017

\*\*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).
- (1) Award of restricted shares as 2016 annual long-term incentive compensation pursuant to the Company's 2013 Equity Incentive Plan. These restricted shares vest one-fifth on the date of grant and one-fifth on each of January 1, 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2021.
- (2) On March 2, 2017, 1,124 restricted shares vested and the Reporting Person instructed the Company to withhold 472 shares to cover tax withholding obligations as permitted under the Company's 2013 Equity Incentive Plan.
- (3) Award of restricted shares as 2016 multi-year long-term incentive compensation pursuant to the Company's 2013 Equity Incentive Plan. These restricted shares vest one-fourth on the date of grant and one-fourth on each of January 1, 2018, 2019 and 2020.

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On March 2, 2017, 1,204 restricted shares vested and the Reporting Person instructed the Company to withhold 505 shares to cover tax withholding obligations as permitted under the Company's 2013 Equity Incentive Plan.

As of the date hereof, the Reporting Person's direct beneficial ownership includes 31,873 restricted shares granted under the Company's 2013 Equity Incentive Plan and the Company's 2004 Equity Incentive Plan that have not yet vested.

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