MARTIN GARY P

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

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 * MARTIN GARY P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ESSEX PROPERTY TRUST INC

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

[ESS]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

(State)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O ESSEX PROPERTY TRUST, 1100 PARK PLACE, **SUITE 200**

(City)

(Instr. 3)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

08/01/2017

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Securities

Beneficially

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

SAN MATEO, CA 94403

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of 7. Nature of

(A) or Code V

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Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Indirect Ownership Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

1,000

(D) Price Amount \$

155.34

6,236

D

Common Stock

Common

Stock

08/01/2017

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S 1.000 D

5.236

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number ction of Derivative Securities 3) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 155.34	08/01/2017		M		1,000	05/15/2013	05/15/2022	Common Stock	1,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MARTIN GARY P C/O ESSEX PROPERTY TRUST 1100 PARK PLACE, SUITE 200 SAN MATEO, CA 94403	X					

Signatures

/s/ John Farias, as Attorney
in Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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