AVALONBAY COMMUNITIES INC

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading HOREY LEO S III Issuer Symbol **AVALONBAY COMMUNITIES** (Check all applicable) INC [AVB] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) C/O AVALONBAY 12/31/2014 Chief Administrative Officer COMMUNITIES, INC., BALLSTON TOWER, 671 N. **GLEBE ROAD** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

ARLINGTON, VA 22203

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	nth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disp any Code (Instr. 3, 4 (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)		spose 4 and (A)	4 and 5) Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock, pa value \$.0 per share	11/05/2014		G V	65	D	\$ 0 (1)	46,117.6086 (2)	D	
Common Stock, pa value \$.0 per share	11/12/2014		G V	97	D	\$ 0 (3)	46,020.6086 (2)	D	
	12/31/2014		F(4)	275 (4)	D			D	

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45,848.8799 Common 163.39 (2) Stock, par value \$.01

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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.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underlying	Security	Secui
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						Date	Expiration	or Title Number		
						Exercisable	Exercisable Date			
				C-J- V	(A) (D)			of		
				Code V	(A) (D)			Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

HOREY LEO S III Chief C/O AVALONBAY COMMUNITIES, INC. Administrative BALLSTON TOWER, 671 N. GLEBE ROAD Officer ARLINGTON, VA 22203

Signatures

per share

Catherine T. White, as attorney-in-fact under Power of Attorney dated February 23, 2009

01/05/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- 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) Reflects gift of 65 shares.

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- (2) The amount of securities owned following the reported transaction reflects direct ownership of all shares of common stock, including restricted shares.
- (3) Reflects gift of 97 shares.
- (4) Reflects withholding of shares by the Company to cover tax withholding obligations on the vesting of restricted stock under the Company's Stock Option and Incentive Plan.

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