#### HOME PROPERTIES INC

Form 4

September 30, 2005

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol HOME PROPERTIES INC [HME]				_	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
	(First) IE PROPERTIES N SQUARE	(Middle) , 850		of Earliest /Day/Year) /2005		on		_X_ Director Officer (g below)	ive title below	10% Owner Other (specify	
				f Amendment, Date Original ed(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)	(State)	(Zip)	Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivativ	ve Sec	curities Acc	quired, Disposed	l of, or Benef	icially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution I any (Month/Day	Date, if	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01	09/30/2005			M	3,187	A	\$ 31.375	92,326	D		
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01								700	I (1)	Shares in account for minor grandchildren	
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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 out of Derivative Securities 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
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 31.375	09/30/2005		M	3,187	08/01/2001	08/01/2010	Common Stock	3,187

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
LEENHOUTS NORMAN P C/O HOME PROPERTIES 850 CLINTON SQUARE ROCHESTER, NY 14604	X					

## **Signatures**

/s/ Norman P. Leenhouts, By Ann M. McCormick, attorney-in-fact

09/30/2005

\*\*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) Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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