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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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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **Taylor James Andrew**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

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

MID AMERICA APARTMENT COMMUNITIES INC [MAA]

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Check all applicable)

EVP-Director of Asset Mgmt

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

03/01/2012

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

6584 POPLAR AVENUE, SUITE 300

(Street)

(State)

(Zip)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

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

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(City)

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities A Transaction(A) or Dispos Code (Instr. 3, 4 and (Instr. 8)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	03/01/2012		A	548	A	\$ 0	2,398.128	D			
Common Stock	03/01/2012		F <u>(1)</u>	73	D	\$ 62.77	2,325.128	D			
Common Stock							2,864.3632	I	Allocated Shares In Esop		
Common Stock							1,400	I	Joint Tenancy		
							0.587	I	Spouse		

Common Stock

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)

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						Date	Expiration	Title	Number		
						Exercisable	Date	11110	of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Taylor James Andrew 6584 POPLAR AVENUE **SUITE 300** MEMPHIS, TN 38138-

EVP-Director of Asset Mgmt

Signatures

/s/ Jennifer 03/05/2012 Patrick

**Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

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

Date

- Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Disposals are being withheld to cover taxes related to vesting pursuant to shares earned and issued under a restricted stock plan.

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