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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION								т	OMB APPROVAL		
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(Print or Type R	esponses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Zimmerman Jordan			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol				g	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			Armour Residential REIT, Inc. [ARR]					(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3001 OCEAN DRIVE, SUITE 201			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/05/2012					_X_Director10% Owner Officer (give titleOther (specify below)below)			
(Street)			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 			
VERO BEA	CH, FL 32963							Form filed by M Person	More than One Re	eporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-De	erivative S	ecuri	ties Ace	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	r) Execution any	emed on Date, if 'Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5))	Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	01/05/2012			M <u>(1)</u>	188	A	<u>(1)</u>	564	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)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Tit Amou Unde Secur (Instr	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Add	ress	Relationships						
r U	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Zimmerman Jordan 3001 OCEAN DRIVE SUITE 201 VERO BEACH, FL 32963	x							
Signatures								
/s/ Jordan Zimmerman	01/06/2012							
<u>**</u> 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).
- On January 5, 2012, the reporting person elected to redeem 188 shares of vested phantom stock previously granted under ARMOUR
 (1) Residential, Inc.'s 2009 Stock Incentive Compensation Plan into 188 shares of ARMOUR's common stock. The 188 shares were issued on January 5, 2012.

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