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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Barnett Paul D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

AV Homes, Inc. [AVHI]

(Month/Day/Year)

07/24/2012

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

ULYSSES MANAGEMENT, LLC. ONE ROCKEFELLER PLAZA 20TH FLOOR

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > (Month/Day/Year)

Filed(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

below)

NEW YORK, NY 10020

(State)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned **Following** Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common

Stock, \$1.00 par value

8,055 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of on 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 Underlying (Instr. 3 and
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Restricted Stock	(1)	07/24/2012		A	3.534.9568	07/23/2013 ⁽²⁾ 07/23/2013 ⁽²⁾	Common Stock.

\$1.00, pa

value

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Barnett Paul D				
ULYSSES MANAGEMENT, LLC	X			
ONE ROCKEFELLER PLAZA 20TH FLOOR	Λ			
NEW YORK, NY 10020				

Signatures

Units

/s/ Patricia K. Fletcher, attorney-in-fact for Paul D. 07/26/2012 Barnett

> **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).
- The units convert to Common Stock of the issuer on a 1-for-1 basis.
- The units granted to the Reporting Person vest in full on the earlier of July 23, 2013 or the day immediately preceding the 2013 annual **(2)** meeting of stockholders, provided that the Reporting Person is a member of the Issuer's board of directors on such date.
- The zero (0) in this column is a "dummy" amount, solely for the purpose of permitting the use of a descriptive footnote stating that the price is not applicable.

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