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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

^ Kroot Kenneth
(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)
11/07/2011

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
EQUITY LIFESTYLE PROPERTIES INC [ELS]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer Other
(give title below) (specify below)
SVP - Gen. Counsel & Secretary

C/O EQUITY LIFESTYLE PROPERTIES, INC., ^ TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA, SUITE 800

(Street)

CHICAGO, ^ IL ^ 60606

(City) (State) (Zip)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Series A Cumulative Redeemable Perpetual Preferred Stock

2,000

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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying

4. Conversion

5. Ownership

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

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| (Month/Day/Year) | | Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | (Instr. 5) |
| Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Kroot Kenneth C/O EQUITY LIFESTYLE PROPERTIES, INC. TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA, SUITE 800 CHICAGO, IL 60606 | Â | Â | Â SVP - Gen. Counsel & Secretary | Â |

Signatures

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| Mary Jo Kucera by Power of Attorney for Kenneth Kroot | 11/15/2011 |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date |

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).
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