

The information in Item 2.02 of this Form 8-K, including Exhibits 99.1, 99.2 and 99.3, shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the “Exchange Act”) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition and Exhibits

On February 23, 2017, American Homes 4 Rent (the “Company”) issued a press release announcing its financial results for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2016, together with a Fourth Quarter 2016 Earnings Release and Supplemental Information Package. On February 23, 2017, the Company also announced that its Board of Trustees had declared the quarterly distributions on its common and participating and perpetual preferred shares. A copy of the press releases and the Fourth Quarter 2016 Earnings Release and Supplemental Information Package are furnished as Exhibit 99.1, 99.2 and 99.3, respectively, to this Current Report on Form 8-K and are incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1—Press Release dated February 23, 2017 concerning financial results

Exhibit 99.2—Press Release dated February 23, 2017 concerning the declaration of quarterly distributions

Exhibit 99.3—Fourth Quarter 2016 Earnings Release and Supplemental Information Package

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: February 23, 2017

AMERICAN HOMES 4 RENT

By: /s/ Stephanie Heim
Stephanie Heim
Senior Vice President - Counsel