

RICHARDSON JAMES H
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
RICHARDSON JAMES H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ALEXANDRIA REAL ESTATE EQUITIES INC [ARE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/25/2009

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

C/O ALEXANDRIA REAL ESTATE EQUITIES, INC, 385 E. COLORADO BLVD., SUITE 299

(Street)

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

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

PASADENA, CA 91101

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	02/25/2009		S	200 D \$ 41.937	223,587	D	
Common Stock	02/25/2009		S	2,600 D \$ 42.346 (1)	220,987	D	
Common Stock	02/25/2009		S	200 D \$ 43.185	220,787	D	
Common Stock	02/25/2009		S	200 D \$ 44	220,587	D	

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- (2) The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$44.638 to \$45.326. The reporting person will provide upon request to the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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