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PORTNOY ADAM Symbo SENIO			Symbol SENIOR	suer Name and Ticker or Trading ol IOR HOUSING PROPERTIES ST [NYSE: SNH]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (M	liddle)	-	Earliest Transaction			X_ Director 10% Owner				
(Month/D			(Month/Day 05/17/20	ay/Year)				Officer (give below)	title Other below)	er (specify	
(Street) 4. I			4. If Ameno	. If Amendment, Date Original 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			
NEWTON, N	IA 02458							Person		porting	
(City)	(State) (Zip)	Table	I - Non-De	rivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	urity (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if		3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A)			Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)				
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	05/17/2012			Code V	Amount 2,000	or (D) A	Price (<u>1)</u>	(Instr. 3 and 4) 115,987.55	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amou Unde Secur	le and int of rlying ities . 3 and 4)	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 / Address		Relationships					
		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
PORTNOY ADAM C/O REIT MANAGEMENT TWO NEWTON PL., 255 V NEWTON, MA 02458		х					
Signatures							
/s/ Adam Portnoy	05/17/2012						

**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).

(1) Transaction reported is grant of shares pursuant to the issuer's share award plan.

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