

HOME PROPERTIES INC  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
LEENHOUTS NORMAN P

(Last) (First) (Middle)

HOME PROPERTIES, INC., 850  
CLINTON SQUARE

(Street)

ROCHESTER, NY 14604

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
HOME PROPERTIES INC [HME]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
05/11/2010

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock, Par Value, \$.01	05/12/2010		M	10,000 A	\$ 41.95 11,420	D	
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01	05/12/2010		S	10,000 D	\$ 51.5117 1,420	D	
Common Stock, Par Value					600	I	Shares in custodial account for

\$.01 minor grandchildren (7)

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 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 Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
					V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	05/11/2010		A		1,276 <sup>(2)</sup>		<sup>(3)</sup> <sup>(3)</sup>	Common Stock
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 49.35 <sup>(4)</sup>	05/11/2010		A		4,849		05/11/2011 <sup>(5)</sup> 05/11/2020	Common Stock
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 41.95	05/12/2010		M		10,000		05/06/2006 05/06/2015	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LEENHOUTS NORMAN P HOME PROPERTIES, INC. 850 CLINTON SQUARE ROCHESTER, NY 14604	X			

## Signatures

/s/ Norman Leenhouts, By Ann M. McCormick,  
attorney-in-fact

05/13/2010

\_\_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) Converts to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
  - (2) Represents phantom stock units accrued to the Reporting Person's account in lieu of restricted stock pursuant to the Issuer's Deferred Compensation Plan.
  - (3) The Reporting Person's account will be paid in the form of the Issuer's common stock on or about the dividend payment date following the 3rd, 5th or 10th anniversary date of the deferral depending on the election of the Reporting Person.
  - (4) This option was granted by the Board of Directors on May 11, 2010 and the exercise price is the closing price on the NYSE on that date.
  - (5) This option vests approximately 20% annually over the next five years beginning on May 11, 2011.  
Represents the weighted average sale price with shares sold at prices ranging from \$50.40 to \$50.68. Upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, the Reporting Person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
  - (7) The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed an admission that such securities are beneficially owned by the Reporting Person for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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