

HOME PROPERTIES INC  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 NELSON B

(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)  
05/23/2008

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01	05/23/2008		M		8,765 (1) \$ 49.63	D	
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01	05/23/2008		F		3,724 (1) \$ 49.63	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. 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title		
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>	05/23/2008		M		8,765	05/23/2008	05/23/2008	Common Stock	8,765
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>	05/23/2008		A		160 <sup>(3)</sup>	<sup>(4)</sup>	<sup>(4)</sup>	common stock	160

## Reporting Owners

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

## Signatures

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

05/28/2008

        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) Represents the issuance of common stock at the end of the deferral period selected by the Reporting Person pursuant to the Issuer's Deferred Bonus Plan. Of the shares issued, 3,724 shares were withheld to pay the Reporting Person's tax liability.
- (2) Converts to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (3) Represents phantom stock issued to the Reporting Person's account pursuant to the dividend reinvestment feature of the Issuer's Deferred Bonus Plan.
- (4) The Reporting Person will be paid in the form of the Issuer's common stock following the 3rd, 5th or 10th anniversary of the deferral depending on the election of the Reporting Person.

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