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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Reilly John Patrick

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORP

(Check all applicable)

[CIM]

(Middle)

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

(Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year) 05/31/2018

C/O: CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORPORATION, 520 MADISON

(First)

AVENUE, 32ND FLOOR (Street)

(State)

05/31/2018

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City)

(Instr. 3)

Common

Stock

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of 7. Nature of

(A)

Indirect Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4)

Code V (D) Price Amount

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

\$ 4,625 Α Α 18.02 61,867 D (1) (2)

Common 06/01/2018 Stock

12,173 $A^{(3)}$ (1)

\$ 0 (4) 74,040 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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Derivative		e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired						Follo
	·				(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date Expiration Exercisable Date	Expiration		or		
							Title Nu	Number			
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Reilly John Patrick C/O: CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORPORATION 520 MADISON AVENUE, 32ND FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022



Signatures

/s/ John P. Reilly 06/04/2018

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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) The reporting person has elected to defer the shares under the Company's Stock Deferral Plan until the earlier of January 31, 2021 or separation of service.
- (2) Represents the average daily VWAP for the Company's common stock for the 20 consecutive trading days ending on the trading day immediately prior to the grant date, May 31, 2018.
- Represents shares of Chimera common stock underlying restricted stock units ("RSUs"). The RSUs are scheduled to vest on the first anniversary of the grant date and shall be settled 100% in shares of Chimera common stock. The reporting person does not intend to report the vesting of the RSUs nor the delivery of the shares of common stock.
- (4) Each RSU has the economic equivalent of one share of Chimera common stock.

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