

AVALONBAY COMMUNITIES INC

Form 4

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FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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See Instruction
1(b).**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 *
Birenbaum Matthew H.2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
AVALONBAY COMMUNITIES
INC [AVB]5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/08/2016☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)
Chief Investment OfficerC/O AVALONBAY
COMMUNITIES,
INC., BALLSTON TOWER, 671 N.
GLEBE ROAD

(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

ARLINGTON, VA 22203

(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(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	08/02/2016		G	V 250	D \$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	31,376 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	08/08/2016		M	4,940	A \$ 130.23	36,316 ⁽²⁾	D
	08/08/2016		M	2,044	A	38,360 ⁽²⁾	D

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Common
Stock, par
value \$.01
per share

\$
126.78

Common
Stock, par
value \$.01
per share

08/08/2016 S 6,984 D \$ 185 31,376 ⁽²⁾ 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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 130.23	08/08/2016		M	4,940	02/13/2014 ⁽³⁾ 02/13/2023	Common Stock 4,940
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 126.78	08/08/2016		M	2,044	03/13/2014 ⁽⁴⁾ 03/13/2023	Common Stock 2,044

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Birenbaum Matthew H. C/O AVALONBAY COMMUNITIES, INC.	Chief Investment

BALLSTON TOWER, 671 N. GLEBE ROAD
ARLINGTON, VA 22203

Officer

Signatures

By Catherine T. White under Power of Attorney dated as of October 14,
2011

08/09/2016

____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) Reflects gift of 250 shares.
- (2) The amount of securities owned following the reported transaction reflects direct ownership of all shares of common stock, including restricted shares.
- (3) The options exercised were included in options granted under the issuer's stock option and incentive plan on February 13, 2013, which became exercisable in three annual installments beginning on February 13, 2014
- (4) The options exercised were included in options granted under the issuer's stock option and incentive plan on March 13, 2013, which became exercisable in three annual installments beginning on March 13, 2014
- (5) Following the reported transactions, the reporting person does not hold any options to purchase.

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