

Schwimmer Howard
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Schwimmer Howard

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
 [REXR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/15/2017

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Co-CEO, Co-President

11620 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD, SUITE 1000

(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

LOS ANGELES, CA 90025

(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 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) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|-----|-------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Code | V | Amount | (D) | Price |

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 | 2. Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 4. Transaction | 5. Number of Derivative | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities | 8. Pr |
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| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4) | Secu (Instr. 3) | |
|-------------------------------------|--|----------------------|-----------------|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| LTIP Units <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> | <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> | 12/15/2017 | A | 44,147 | <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> | <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 | 44,147 <u>(1)</u> |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Schwimmer Howard 11620 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD SUITE 1000 LOS ANGELES, CA 90025 | X | | Co-CEO, Co-President | |

Signatures

/s/ Howard
Schwimmer 12/19/2017

**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).
- LTIP Units are a class of limited partnership units in Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. (the "Operating Partnership"). Initially, the LTIP Units do not have full parity with common limited partnership units of the Operating Partnership ("OP Units") with respect to liquidating distributions. However, upon the occurrence of certain events described in the Operating Partnership's partnership agreement, the LTIP
- (1) Units can over time achieve full parity with the OP Units for all purposes. If such parity is reached, vested LTIP Units may be converted into an equal number of OP Units on a one for one basis at any time at the request of the Reporting Person or the general partner of the Operating Partnership. OP Units are redeemable by the holder for an equivalent number of shares of the Issuer's common stock or for the cash value of such shares, at the Issuer's election.
- (2) (Continued from Footnote 1) The LTIP Units issued pursuant to the Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. 2013 Incentive Award Plan will vest 1/3 in equal installments on December 15 of 2018, 2019 and 2020, subject to earlier vesting upon certain terminations of the Reporting Person's employment or a change of control of the Issuer, in each case as described in the award agreement.

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