#### **ASHMORE WILLIAM**

Form 4

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# FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

ASHMORE WILLIAM				Symbol IMPAC MORTGAGE HOLDINGS					Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
				INC [IMH]					(Check an applicable)			
(I			3. Date of Earliest Transaction					_X_ Director 10% Owner S Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  President and Director				
			(Month/Day/Year) 12/07/2012									
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
IRVINE, CA 92612									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner.						ly Owned						
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deem Execution any (Month/D	Date, if	3. 4. Securi Transaction(A) or D Code (Instr. 3, (Instr. 8)			posed	of (D)	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)
	Common Stock									4,153	I	401K
	Common Stock									2,342	I	by PSP
	Common Stock	12/07/2012	12/07/20	012	M	1	6,000	A	\$ 2.73	16,000	D	
	Common Stock	12/07/2012	12/07/20	012	S	1	6,000	D	\$ 14.82	0	D	
	Common Stock	12/07/2012	12/07/20	012	S	2	20,000	D	\$ 14.82	157,967	I	by Trust

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and A Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non_Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.73	12/07/2012		M	16,000	12/03/2011(1)	12/03/2020	Common Stock
Non_Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.81					11/27/2013(2)	11/27/2022	Common Stock

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ASHMORE WILLIAM							

19500 JAMBOREE ROAD IRVINE, CA 92612

X President and Director

### **Signatures**

William S.
Ashmore

\*\*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) These awards vest annually in 1/3 increments beginning on December 3, 2011.
- (2) The awards vest equally annually in 1/2 increments beginning on November 27, 2013.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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