AVALONBAY COMMUNITIES INC

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

SCHULMAN EDWARD M

(Middle)

(Zip)

(Last) (First)

C/O AVALONBAY COMMUNITIES.

INC., BALLSTON TOWER, 671 N.

GLEBE RD..

(City)

(Street)

(State)

02/12/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Symbol

INC [AVB]

02/12/2015

(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner Director

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

EVP-General Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

ARLINGTON, VA 22203

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) any

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

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(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Amount (D)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Common

Stock, par value \$.01 per share

5,499

\$0 (1)

18,556.4225 (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)

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SCHULMAN EDWARD M C/O AVALONBAY COMMUNITIES, INC. BALLSTON TOWER, 671 N. GLEBE RD., ARLINGTON, VA 22203

EVP-General Counsel

Signatures

Catherine T. White, as attorney-in-fact under Power of Attorney dated February 23, 2009

02/17/2015

**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 grant of shares of restricted stock under the Company's Stock Option and Incentive Plan, which shares are subject to vesting requirements.
- (2) The amount of securities owned following the reported transaction reflects direct ownership of all shares of common stock, including restricted shares.

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