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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LOW PAUL M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

below)

Symbol

CAPSTEAD MORTGAGE CORP

(Check all applicable)

[CMO]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2011

8401 N. CENTRAL EXPRESSWAY, SUITE 800

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

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

Person

DALLAS, TX 75225

Common

Stock

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of

Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

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

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership Owned (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Following

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

\$0 4,000 A 32,205 D

05/04/2011 (1) Stock Common 0 I

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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by Trust (2)

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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

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address 10% Owner Officer Other Director

LOW PAUL M 8401 N. CENTRAL EXPRESSWAY **SUITE 800** DALLAS, TX 75225



Signatures

By: Kelly L. Sargent For: Paul M.

Low 05/05/2011

> **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).
- Award of restricted shares to each non-employee director from the Amended and Restated 2004 Flexible Long-Term Incentive Plan as (1) part of the director's annual retainer. The award will vest in full on April 16, 2012 with the expectation that each director will retain all the shares.
- The shares are held in a trust account for the benefit of the reporting person's granddaughter. The reporting person is co-trustee and has investment control over the trust.

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