**BIGGS VICKI L** 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 \* **BIGGS VICKI L** 

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Last)

(Middle)

Meritage Homes CORP [MTH]

(Check all applicable)

17851 NORTH 85TH

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 12/11/2007

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

STREET, SUITE 300

Vice President - Controller

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

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

below)

SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85255

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership

(Instr. 4)

(Month/Day/Year)

Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Following or Indirect Reported (I)Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

(A) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

**MTH** 

Security

(Instr. 3)

**COMMON** 12/12/2007 **STOCK** 

12/12/2007

727

Α

13.76

13,479

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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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on 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	Amou or Numb of Shares
MTH COMMON STOCK (1)	\$ 15.98	12/11/2007		A	3,000	12/11/2008	12/10/2014	MTH COMMON STOCK	3,00
MTH COMMON STOCK (1)	\$ 15.98	12/11/2007		A	3,000	12/11/2009	12/10/2014	MTH COMMON STOCK	3,00
MTH COMMON STOCK (1)	\$ 15.98	12/11/2007		A	3,000	12/11/2010	12/10/2014	MTH COMMON STOCK	3,00
MTH COMMON STOCK (1)	\$ 15.98	12/11/2007		A	3,000	12/11/2011	12/10/2014	MTH COMMON STOCK	3,00
MTH COMMON STOCK (1)	\$ 15.98	12/11/2007		A	3,000	12/11/2012	12/10/2014	MTH COMMON STOCK	3,00

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BIGGS VICKI L 17851 NORTH 85TH STREET **SUITE 300** SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85255

Vice President - Controller

## **Signatures**

/s/ Vicki L. 12/12/2007 Biggs

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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# **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) Represents a single option grant.

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