Apollo Commercial Real Estate Finance, Inc. Form 4 April 05, 2017 FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 Check this box if no longer STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to **SECURITIES** Section 16. Form 4 or 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 * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading BIDERMAN MARK C Symbol

(Middle)

C/O APOLLO GLOBAL MANAGEMENT, LLC, 9 WEST 57TH STREET, 43RD FLOOR

(First)

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10019

(Last)

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Securities	Acquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Pri	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	04/03/2017		А	$\frac{2,668}{(1)}$ A \$0	0 68,232	D	

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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Applicable Line)

Person

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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)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amou Unde Secur	le and int of rlying ities . 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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Reporting Owners

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Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
]	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BIDERMAN MARK C C/O APOLLO GLOBAL MANAGEMENT, 9 WEST 57TH STREET, 43RD FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10019	LLC	Х					
Signatures							
/s/ Jessica L. Lomm, as Attorney-in-Fact	04/05/2	017					
** Signature of Reporting Person	Date	e					

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) The Issuer granted these shares to the Reporting Person pursuant to the Issuer's 2009 Equity Incentive Plan, as amended and restated.

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