## FORM 4

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Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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may continue. See	Instruction 1(b).	•	Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940						
1. Name and Address <u>Aeppel Glyn</u>	s of Reporting Pers	on	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AVALONBAY COMMUNITIES INC</u> [ AVB ]		tionship of Reporting Pers all applicable) Director Officer (give title	ion(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify			
(Last) C/O AVALONBA BALLSTON TO		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/29/2015		below)	below)			
(Street) ARLINGTON	,		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv X	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/29/2015		Α		781	Α	<b>\$0.00</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	2,696.3846 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	

# 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		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative	Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Reflects grant of Deferred Stock Units ("Units") under the issuer's Stock Option and Incentive Plan, which Units are subject to vesting requirements. The Units will convert into common stock on a one to one basis when the reporting person ceases to be an employee or director of the issuer.

2. The amount of securities owned following the reported transaction reflects direct ownership of all shares of common stock, including Units, which may be subject to vesting requirements.

Remarks:

### By Catherine T. White under

Power of Attorney dated as of May 06/02/2015

<u>22, 2013</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

\* 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).

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