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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Breslin Sean J.	of Reporting Person*		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AVALONBAY COMMUNITIES INC [AVB]		ationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer k all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify		
	(First) 7 COMMUNITIES, DULEVARD, STE. 1		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/23/2023		Chief Operatin	below) ag Officer	
(Street) ARLINGTON (City)	VA (State)	22203 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi	dual or Joint/Group Filing Form filed by One Repo Form filed by More than	orting Person	

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transac Code (Ir 8)		4. Securities Ac Disposed Of (D			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr.	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
		Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	3 and 4)		
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	02/23/2023	Α		6,403(1)	A	\$0.00	53,283.7135 ⁽²⁾	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	02/23/2023	A		4,212(3)	A	\$0.00	57,495.7135 ⁽²⁾	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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Ownership Form: Direct (D)	11. Nature of Indirect 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 shares of restricted stock under the Company's Second Amended and Restated 2009 Equity 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
- 3. Reflects shares earned in connection with previously awarded performance share units issued under the Company's Second Amended and Restated 2009 Equity Incentive Plan.

Remarks:

Edward M. Schulman, as attorneyin-fact under Power of Attorney 02/27/2023 dated May 26, 2009

** 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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