

SPIRIT REALTY CAPITAL, INC.
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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 *
 Bender Michael

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 SPIRIT REALTY CAPITAL, INC.
 [SRC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O SPIRIT REALTY CAPITAL, INC., 16767 NORTH PERIMETER DRIVE, SUITE 210
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 07/02/2013

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
 ____ 10% Owner
 ____ Other (specify below)
 SVP and CFO

SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85260
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	07/02/2013		A	14,121 (1)	A \$ 17.95	222,945 (2)	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)

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)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Bender Michael C/O SPIRIT REALTY CAPITAL, INC. 16767 NORTH PERIMETER DRIVE, SUITE 210 SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85260				SVP and CFO

Signatures

/s/ Michael A.
Bender 07/15/2013

**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).
- (1) Represents 14,121 shares of restricted stock that shall vest in three equal installments on each of January 1, 2014, January 1, 2015 and January 1, 2016.
- (2) Includes (i) 179,412 shares of restricted stock that shall vest in three equal installments on the first, second and third anniversaries of September 25, 2012, and (ii) 14,121 shares of restricted stock that shall vest in three equal installments on each of January 1, 2014, January 1, 2015 and January 1, 2016.

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