STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

**VENTAS INC** Form 4 July 01, 2016

## FORM 4

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See Instruction 1(b).

Common

Stock

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(Print or Type Responses)

GELLERT	JAY M	2. Issue Symbol	2. Issuel I talle and Tiener of Trading			Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
		VENTA							
(Last)	(First) (1	Middle) 3. Date o	f Earliest Ti	ransaction					
		•	(Month/Day/Year)				Owner		
21650 OXNARD STREET, 22ND FLOOR		22ND 07/01/2	07/01/2016			title Other below)	er (specify		
TLOOK									
	(Street)	4. If Ame	4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
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WOODLA	AND HILLS, CA 9	1367			Form filed by N Person	More than One Re	porting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative Securities Acq	quired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of		
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Disposed of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial		
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Owned	(D) or	Ownership		

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

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Following

Reported

(2)(3)

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

111,105.531

(A)

or

(D)

Amount

392.76

(1)

Price

73.2

\$

Indirect (I)

(Instr. 4)

D

(Instr. 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Titl Deriv Secur (Instr.	ative ity	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transac Code (Instr. 8	5. tiorNumber of ) Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	s I	ate	Amou Under Secur	le and unt of rlying rities . 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
					Code \	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
GELLERT JAY M 21650 OXNARD STREET 22ND FLOOR WOODLAND HILLS, CA 91367	X					

## **Signatures**

Jay M. Gellert, By: T. Richard Riney, Attorney-In-Fact

07/01/2016

\*\*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).
- Common stock in the form of units granted under the Ventas Nonemployee Directors' Deferred Stock Compensation Plan (the "Plan") in (1) lieu of director fees pursuant to the director's deferral election. Such units are payable solely in common stock and subject to the terms and conditions of the director's deferral election and the Plan.
- (2) Includes 310.433 units acquired on June 30, 2016 under the Plan as a result of dividend equivalents credited with respect to the dividend on Issuer's common stock paid on June 30, 2016.
- (3) As of July 1, 2016, Reporting Person owns options to purchase an aggregate of 35,640 shares of Issuer's common stock.

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