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(Print or Type Responses)							
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Sarver Robert Gary	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Meritage Homes CORP [MTH]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 17851 N. 85TH STREET, SUITE 300	(Month/Day/Year) 851 N. 85TH STREET, SUITE 04/29/2013						
(Street) SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85255	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check</li> <li>Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> <li> Form filed by More than One Reporting</li> </ul>					
(City)     (State)     (Zip)     Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
(Instr. 3) any		5. Amount of Securities6. Ownership Form: Direct7. Nature of IndirectBeneficially Owned(D) or Indirect (I)Beneficial OwnershipFollowing Following Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)(Instr. 4)					
MTH Common 04/29/2013 Stock MTH Common Shares	G V $\frac{6,819}{(1)}$ D \$0	189,540 (2) I See Note. 18,000 (3) 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	int of rlying	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		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Sarver Robert Gary 17851 N. 85TH STREET SUITE 300 SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85255	Х				
Signatures					
/s/ Hilla Sferruzza, attorney-in-fact for Robert G. Sarver				04/30/2013	
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting	g 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).
- Represents charitable stock donation to The Robert and Penny Sarver Family Foundation. The foundation sold these shares the same day (1)they were recieved. Mr. Sarver serves as a board member and has authority to make investment decisions on behalf of this foundation.

Balance represents indirect ownership of shares held in trust (6,000 shares Penny Sarver - wife; 2,000 shares Penny Sarver FBO Max (2) Sarver - minor son; 8,170 shares Robert Sarver - trustee of Eva Lauren Hilton Trust; 8,170 shares Robert Sarver - trustee of Shari Rachel Hilton Trust; 165,200 shares Robert Sarver - trustee of Robert Sarver Trust)

(3) Balance represents restricted shares not vested.

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