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Section 16. SECURITIES									PPROVAL 3235-0287 January 31, 2005 average irs per 0.5		
(Print or Type Responses)											
1. Name and A Michael R.	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Meritage Homes CORP [MTH]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
^(Last) 8800 EAST DRIVE, SU	(Month/ 02/16/2	 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/16/2016 				X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)					
SCOTTSDA		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				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) (Zi	^{ip)} Tat	le I - Non-De	rivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date any (Month/Day/Ye					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Indirect Beneficial			
MTH Common Shares	02/16/2016		А	5,000 (1)	A	\$0	15,000 <u>(2)</u>	D			
MTH Common Stock							24,000 <u>(3)</u>	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date	Amou Under Secur	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 / Addre	SS	Relationships							
I O THE REAL PROPERTY OF THE R	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
Michael R. Odell 8800 EAST RAINTREE DRIV SUITE 300 SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85260	VE X								
Signatures									
/s/ Michael R.									
Odell 02	02/17/2016								
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date								
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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 grant of restricted shares. The shares will fully vest on third anniversary of the date of grant.
- (2) Balance represents restricted shares not vested.
- (3) Balance reflects all other holdings, including restricted shares that have previously vested.

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