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| (Print or Type I | Responses) | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hain Robert C Symbol | | | er Name and Ticker or Trading | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | | |
| | | | Armour Residential REIT, Inc. [ARR] | | | | (Check all applicable) | | | | |
| (Last) | (First) (Middle | , | f Earliest Tı | ansaction | | | _X_ Director | | 6 Owner | | |
| 3001 OCEAN DRIVE, SUITE #201 (Month/D 11/21/20 | | | pelow | | | | Officer (give below) | below) | er (specify | | |
| | | | nendment, Date Original onth/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) (Zip) | Tabl | e I - Non-E | Derivative | Secur | ities Acq | uired, Disposed of | , or Beneficia | lly Owned | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | any | Deemed cution Date, if onth/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3, | spose | d of (D) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share | 11/21/2018 | | M | 1,500 (1) | A | \$ 0 | 1,915 | D | | | |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share | 11/21/2018 | | D | 750 <u>(1)</u> | D | \$ 21.84 | 1,165 | D | | | |
| Common | | | | | | | 7,529 | I | See | | |

Footnote.

(2) value \$0.001 per

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number proof 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. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr. |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--------------------|---|--|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Phantom Stock | (3) | 11/21/2018 | | M | 1,500 (1) | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Common Stock | 1,500 | \$ |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Kelationships | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| Hain Robert C | | | | | | | |
| 3001 OCEAN DRIVE | *7 | | | | | | |

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SUITE #201

VERO BEACH, FL 32963

Signatures

Reporting Person

share

/s/ Robert C. 11/26/2018 Hain **Signature of 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).

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On November 21, 2018, the reporting person elected to convert 750 shares out of 1,500 shares of vested phantom stock into 750 shares of ARMOUR common stock. The person elected to convert the remaining 750 shares of vested phantom stock into cash solely to pay income taxes on the vested stock. The 1,500 shares are part of, and relate to, phantom stock vesting over a five-year period, which was reported on a Form 4 filed by the reporting person on November 22, 2017.

- Represents shares owned indirectly through HW Trust Company Limited as Trustee of The RCH Guernsey Trust. Mr. Hain is deemed to beneficially own the shares held by the HW Trust Company Limited as Trustee of The RCH Guernsey Trust and has a pecuniary interest in and investment control over the shares.
- (3) Each unit of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of ARMOUR common stock.

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