HOME PROPERTIES INC

Form 4 May 10, 2005

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

HOME PROPERTIES INC [HME]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Symbol

See Instruction 1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

(Middle)

LEENHOUTS NORMAN P

C/O HOME PROPERTIES, CLINTON SQ		/Day/Year) /2005				X Director Officer (g below)		_ 10% Owner _ Other (specify		
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(CheckApplicable Line)_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
ROCHESTER, NY 14604 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person										
(City) (State)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securon(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed of (D)	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01		S	1,500	D	\$ 41.93	5,000	I	By Home Leasing Corporation (1)		
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01		S	4,600	D	\$ 41.94	400	I	By Home Leasing Corporation (1)		
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01		S	250	D	\$ 41.96	150	I	By Home Leasing Corporation (1)		

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Common Stock, Par Value \$.01	05/06/2005	S	150	D	\$ 41.97	0	I	By Home Leasing Corporation (1)
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01						91,139	D	
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01						700	I (2)	Shares in account for minor grandchildren

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 of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Number of Share
Option to purchase common stock	\$ 41.95 (3)	05/06/2005		A	25,000	05/06/2006(4)	05/06/2015	Common Stock	25,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LEENHOUTS NORMAN P C/O HOME PROPERTIES 850 CLINTON SQ ROCHESTER, NY 14604	X						

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/s/Norman P. Leenhouts By: Ann M. McCormick, attorney-in-fact

05/10/2005

**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) The Reporting Person is a director, shareholder and Chairman of Home Leasing Corporation. This represents the Reporting Person's proportionate interest in this entity.
- The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (3) This option was granted by the Board of Directors on May 6, 2005 and the exercise price is the closing price on the NYSE on that date.
- (4) This option vests in five equal annual installments beginning on May 6, 2006.

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