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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Campbell Albert M III			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			MID AMERICA APARTMENT COMMUNITIES INC [MAA]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify			
6584 POPLAR AVENUE, SUITE 300			01/03/2012	below) below) EVP and CFO			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
MEMPHIS, TN 38138-			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I. New Desired of Council of A	and Discoulation Description			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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					
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Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	on(A) or D (Instr. 3,		` ′	Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	01/03/2012		A	1,515	A	\$0	12,489	D	
Common Stock	01/03/2012		F <u>(1)</u>	637	D	\$ 62.98	11,852	D	
Common Stock							2,167.8828	I	Allocated Shares In Esop
Common Stock							100	I	Ira

1,000

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Common Joint Stock Tenancy

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)	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if Transaction any Code		5. 6. Date Exercise Expiration Date (Month/Day/Y) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		Amount Underly Securiti	Title and mount of Inderlying ecurities Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
		Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Number		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Campbell Albert M III 6584 POPLAR AVENUE SUITE 300 MEMPHIS, TN 38138-

EVP and CFO

Signatures

/s/ Jennifer Patrick 01/03/2012

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Disposals are being withheld to cover taxes related to vesting pursuant to shares earned and issued under a prior year restricted stock plan. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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