

EQUITY LIFESTYLE PROPERTIES INC

Form 8-K

May 22, 2007

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549  
FORM 8-K  
CURRENT REPORT  
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934  
Date of Report: May 18, 2007  
(Date of earliest event reported)  
EQUITY LIFESTYLE PROPERTIES, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**Maryland**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

**1-11718**  
(Commission File No.)

**36-3857664**  
(IRS Employer Identification  
Number)

**Two North Riverside Plaza, Chicago, Illinois**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**60606**  
(Zip Code)

**(312) 279-1400**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 5.03 Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year**

On May 18, 2007, Equity LifeStyle Properties, Inc. (the Company ) amended and restated its Articles of Incorporation to increase the authorized number of shares of common stock from 50 million shares to 100 million shares. The amended and restated Articles of Incorporation also made various ministerial changes and included previous amendments to the Company s Articles of Incorporation. The Company s Board of Directors approved the amendment and restatement and proposed and recommended the amendment and restatement to the Company s stockholders on April 2, 2007. The amendment and restatement was approved by the stockholders on May 15, 2007 at the Company s Annual Meeting of Stockholders. A copy of the Articles of Amendment and Restatement is attached hereto as Exhibit 3.1.

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**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit 3.1 Equity LifeStyle Properties, Inc. Articles of Amendment and Restatement, filed on May 18, 2007.

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

EQUITY LIFESTYLE PROPERTIES, INC.

By: /s/ Michael B. Berman  
Michael B. Berman  
Executive Vice President and Chief  
Financial  
Officer

Date: May 22, 2007