HOME PROPERTIES INC

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading GARDNER DAVID P Issuer Symbol HOME PROPERTIES INC [HME] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify HOME PROPERTIES, INC., 850 05/01/2008 below) below) **CLINTON SQUARE** EVP, CFO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting ROCHESTER, NY 14604 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi n(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	(A) or	d 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	05/01/2008		F	1,165 (1)	` /		9,367 (2)	D	
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01	05/01/2008		J	654	A	\$ 0 (3)	54,365 (4)	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 52.56 (5)	05/01/2008		A	38,514	05/01/2009 <u>(6)</u>	05/01/2018	Common Stock	38,51

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
.r. g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GARDNER DAVID P							
HOME DDODEDTIES INC							

HOME PROPERTIES, INC. 850 CLINTON SQUARE ROCHESTER, NY 14604

EVP, CFO

Signatures

/s/ David P. Gardner, By Ann M. McCormick, attorney-in-fact

05/05/2008

**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) Represents shares of restricted stock as to which restrictions had lapsed, 511 of which were withheld to pay Reporting Person's tax liability.
- (2) Represents total restricted shares owned individually by Reporting Person.
- (3) Represents shares as to which restrictions had lapsed (1,165) net of shares withheld to pay Reporting Person's tax liability (511), which net shares (654) were transferred to an account held jointly by Reporting Person and spouse.
- (4) Jointly with spouse.
- (5) This option was granted by the Board of Directors on May 1, 2008 and the exercise price is the closing price on the NYSE on that date.
- (6) This option vests approximately 20% annually over the next five years beginning on May 1, 2009.

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