ARBOR REALTY TRUST INC

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KAUFMAN IVAN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol ARBOR REALTY TRUST INC

[ABR]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

X Director X__ 10% Owner _ Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

C/O ARBOR REALTY TRUST. INC., 333 EARLE OVINGTON

08/14/2007

COB, CEO and President

BLVD., STE. 900

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

UNIONDALE, NY 11553

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	ırities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefi	cially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (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 \$0.01 per share	08/14/2007		P	146	` ,		2,546	I	By son, Maurice Kaufman
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	08/15/2007		P	1,052	A	\$ 18.95	3,598	I	By son, Maurice Kaufman

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	1,134,672	I	By Arbor Commercial Mortgage, LLC (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	1,617	I	By son, Adam Kaufman under Uniform Gift to Minors Act
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	5,000	I	By Spouse

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	ionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	rlying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Derivativo	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities	3		(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
	·				(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration	m	or	
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number	
									of	
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KAUFMAN IVAN	X	X	COB, CEO and President	
C/O ARBOR REALTY TRUST, INC.				

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333 EARLE OVINGTON BLVD., STE. 900 UNIONDALE, NY 11553

Signatures

/s/ Ivan Kaufman 04/04/2008

**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).

These shares are held by ACM. As of December 31, 2007, Mr. Kaufman owns approximately 50.8% of ACM directly. Mr. Kaufman and Lisa Kaufman, his spouse, jointly owns 100% of Arbor Management, LLC, the sole manager of ACM, which owned approximately 0.6%

(1) of ACM as of such date. The Ivan and Lisa Kaufman Family Trust and The Ivan Kaufman Grantor Retained Trust (of which Mr. Kaufman is also a co-trustee), both of which benefit the dependent children of Mr. Kaufman, owned approximately 34.8% and 3.9% of ACM, respectively, as of such date.

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