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## FORM 4

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1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Permut Kyle A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

below)

ARBOR REALTY TRUST INC

Symbol

(Check all applicable)

[ABR]

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X\_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year)

07/22/2011

C/O ARBOR REALTY TRUST. 333 EARLE OVINGTON BLVD., STE.

(Street)

(First)

900

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

A

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

UNIONDALE, NY 11553

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

Price

Securities Beneficially Owned

Following

Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I)

Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Common

Stock, par 07/22/2011 Code V Amount (D) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

D 15,000 Α <u>(1)</u> 94,417

value \$0.01 per share

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)

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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Permut Kyle A C/O ARBOR REALTY TRUST 333 EARLE OVINGTON BLVD., STE. 900 UNIONDALE, NY 11553

X

## **Signatures**

/s/ Walter K. Horn, Attorney-in-Fact for Kyle A. Permut

07/26/2011

\*\*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) Shares of common stock par value \$0.01 per share of Arbor Realty Trust, Inc. (the "Company") granted pursuant to the Company's Amended and Restated 2003 Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan.

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