

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <u>ARRIOLA DENNIS V</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>18655 NORTH CLARET DRIVE</u> <u>SUITE 400</u> (Street) <u>SCOTTSDALE</u> <u>AZ</u> <u>85255</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Meritage Homes CORP [MTH]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>12/31/2024</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
MTH Common Stock	12/31/2024		P		20	A	\$77.21	7,220 ⁽¹⁾	I	HELD IN TRUST
MTH Common Stock	03/31/2025		L		45	A	\$69.62	7,265 ⁽¹⁾	I	HELD IN TRUST
MTH Common Stock	06/30/2025		L		47	A	\$66.62	7,312 ⁽¹⁾	I	HELD IN TRUST
MTH Common Stock	07/25/2025		P		2,200	A	\$70	9,512 ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	I	HELD IN TRUST
MTH Common Shares								3,200 ⁽⁴⁾	D	

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares acquired through broker-administered dividend reinvestment program intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c).
2. Balance reflects all other holdings, including restricted stock units that have previously vested.
3. All shares are held in a living trust controlled by Mr. Arriola, and includes 6,200 shares previously reported as directly held by Mr. Arriola and 1,000 shares acquired upon the vesting of 1,000 restricted stock units on February 22, 2025 that were previously reported as directly held by Mr. Arriola.
4. Balance represents restricted stock units not vested.

Remarks:

/s/ Alison Sasser, attorney-in-fact 07/29/2025
for Dennis V. Arriola

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* 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).

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